THE WEATHER.

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U. D. C. MEETING IS ON IN HOUSTON

Wilmington May be Honored With Next Annual Gathering.

WOMEN OF THE SOUTHLAND

Year's Work in Ranks of the Daughters Reviewed—Mrs Cornelia Branch Stone is Honored. Monument Unveiled.

Houston, Texas, Oct. 19.—With that same spirit that made possible the accomplishment of that magnificent achievement during the dreary days between 1861 and 1865, women of the Southland, who revere the memories of the men and women of that period—many of them actual participants in the scenes not chronicled in history—assembled in Houston today for the purpose of reviewing the work of the year in the ranks of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

A heavy rain during the night broke down much of the mass of flags and bunting displayed over the city in welcome to the Daughters, but it did not dampen the spirits of the more than 200 delegates who gathered from 32 States to attend the opening general session of the 16th annual convention.

The session began with addresses of welcome by the city officials and by Tax Commissioner Dashiell, on behalf of Governor Campbell, who was unable to be present. The day was given over to social features, interspersed with a little business routine. Reports of officers will be submitted tomorrow.

A beautiful feature of the day was the presentation to Mrs. Cornelia Branch Stone, of Galveston, the president general, of a magnificent president general's jewel, the pendant star being set with diamonds. Following this, a huge bouquet of flowers was brought to the platform, tokens of the love of the Daughters for their president general. Soon the plain platform was turned into a bower of flowers and color.

The afternoon session the report of the committee on credentials was read, which was marked by the absence of any contest.

The feature of the day proved to be the unveiling in the afternoon of the monument to Terry's rangers. The monument is a huge rough hewn shoft and bears on one side a flag with the inscription: "In Memory of Terry's Texas Rangers, 1861-65. Erected by E. Bennett Bates Auxiliary to the Oran M. Roberts' Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy, October 19, 1909."

The speakers were Mrs. Cornelia Branch Stone, Colonel Philip Fall and Miss Kate Daffin.

A keen contest has developed for the office of president general with six candidates in the field. Texas will not ask for the re-election of Mrs. Stone.

Virginia was the first State to make a bid for the next convention, the city of Richmond asking for the honor. Little Rock, and Wilmington, N. C., are also after the next convention.

MAY CHANGE THE OATHS.

Bill to Prohibit the Words, "So Help Me God," at Next Congress.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The use of the words "So help me God," the end of oaths may be prohibited in the courts of the District of Columbia if Congress passes a law which is now being drafted by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia. The bill under consideration is similar to one enacted by the Maryland Legislature and leaders of the bench and bar in Washington are being consulted as to the desirability of recommending its enactment by Congress.

McCARREN HAS RELAPSE.

Brooklyn's Democratic Leader in Precarious Condition.

New York, Oct. 19.—Patrick H. McCarren, State Senator and Democratic leader of Brooklyn, who was eliminated from the municipal campaign by a sudden attack of appendicitis which necessitated an immediate operation, is again in an extremely precarious condition tonight. A relapse today caused by an almost sleepless night and an attack of hiccoughs which rocked his weakened body and aggravated the condition of a fluttering heart.

SEABOARD SURGEONS MEET.

May Adopt Relief Benefit System Similar to Coast Line.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 19.—The Association of Seaboard Air Line Surgeons in session here tonight selected Birmingham, Ala., as the place of meeting in October, 1910. There is a large attendance of surgeons and many reports were read. Recommendations that the Seaboard Air Line adopt a relief benefit system similar to the Atlantic Coast Line are being considered. The Association will adjourn tomorrow.

HOME MISSION MOVEMENT

Eleven Southern Conferences Represented at Charlotte Meeting. Churche's Relation to Industrial Problem.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 19.—Prominent Methodist ministers and laymen from eleven Southern conferences gathered here tonight for the home mission conference of the Southern church called to consider the relation of the church to the industrial problem.

The conference was called to order tonight in Tryon Street church, Rev. Dr. John R. Nelson, secretary of the home department of the Board of Missions, presiding. Dr. Nelson who delivered the opening address, "The Problems of Home Missions," stated the object of the conference and gave a comprehensive review of the difficulties that beset the labor in the home mission field, laying especial stress upon the problem of reaching the people of the cotton mill settlements which is just now the most serious one confronting this department of the church.

Dr. D. B. Zollicoffer, M. D., of Weldon, N. C., in an address on "The laymen and Home Missions" went over practically the same ground from the layman's stand point.

Tomorrow morning the conference will devote itself to a survey of the field at which time representatives of the Board of Missions from every Southern conference will present to the conference the conditions as to mill settlement work obtaining in each particular section and then the conference will devote itself to discussing ways and means to meet these conditions and offer solutions of the problems presented. Prayer was publicly offered by the conference tonight ofr the recovery of James H. Carlisle, president emeritus of Wofford College, who is in extremis and was reported at 11 o'clock as resting well with the probability he would live through the night.

TAFT ENJOYING REST.

"Just Loafing Through" Live Long Day on Brother's Ranch.

Gregory, Texas, Oct. 19.—President Taft began his three days of doing as he pleased on his brother's ranch today by playing 18 holes of golf this morning over a muddy course and by "just loafing through the long afternoon and evening." Mr. Taft was as happy as a boy out of school. The idea of eating a dinner without having to speak for it and of going the live long day without having to bow and shake hands and smile, appealed to him strongly. He declared he wished that his dulce far niente vacation could last a week and three days instead of just the latter period.

While the President was golfing and resting the members of his party enjoyed themselves in various ways. Secretary of War Dickinson and Captain Archie Butt were up before the sun and out on an all day duck shoot at the fresh water tanks on the ranch, 10 miles away from the farm house at Laquinta, a veritable palace set on the shores of Corpus Christi Bay, looking out over the Gulf of Mexico. They returned late this afternoon with a full bag and denied the President's taunting insinuations that the birds had been presented to them.

Others of the party took long horseback rides and a swim in the bay. Beginning tomorrow the President will probably go in bathing each remaining morning of his stay, as both weather and water are warm.

Ranch hands today killed two wild cats, two wild boars and a raccoon, which they presented to the President tonight.

Tomorrow morning the President will golf and in the afternoon he will have a 10-mile run up to the Rincon section of the ranch to see a small round-up of cattle and sheep and some exhibitions of cow punching. He will use a big and comfortable saddle made especially for him.

Tonight an opossum, which was caught in a church at Aransas Pass by Tom Martin, was given to the President.

The President's play days will end Friday morning when he will be taken by boat to Corpus Christi to be the guest of that city during the day and to address the convention of the Inland Waterways Association.

DUFFY FOR CONGRESS

Mass Meeting at Magnolia Endorses Him and Williams.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Magnolia, N. C., Oct. 19.—At a mass meeting held here tonight Solicitor Rodolph Duffy was endorsed for Congress and H. D. Williams, Esq., for Solicitor. The meeting was enthusiastic and all Democrats attended and made speeches along this line. J. H. Newbury, secretary, was instructed to send out the news of the endorsement to State papers.

PARKVILLE MAN KILLED.

L. S. Dorn Struck by Southern Train Near Trenson, S. C.

Augusta, Ga., Oct. 19.—While on his way home from Augusta, L. S. Dorn, of Parksville, S. C., was struck and instantly killed by a Southern Railway train today at Trenton, S. C. Dorn was superintendent of the Twin City Power Company, president of the Bank of Parksville, and a large planter. He was standing near the track and did not observe the approaching train.

YORKTOWN SCENE OF CELEBRATION

Notable Ceremonies Commemorate Famous Revolutionary Conflict.

CROWDED QUAINT OLD CITY

Eventful Day Participated in by Descendants of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence—The Features.

Yorktown, Va., Oct. 19.—Quaint old Yorktown, for the second time within the period of its National fame today, commemorated with fitting ceremonies that glorious event in American history with which its name is identified. Here was laid 128 years ago to a day the cornerstone of liberty upon which a great nation has been built.

"Lord Cornwallis is taken" those simple words sent broadcast from here this date three years more than a century and a quarter ago meant that the burdensome yoke of British rule had been cast off by the long suffering American colonists, and that a new republic, destined to become powerful, had been born. One hundred years elapsed before this message again echoed through the land. Then the young nation, safe beyond the period of tottering infant-hood and grown almost beyond recognition, paid pilgrimage to the historic spot where the beloved Washington, supported by French troops and warships under Rochambeau and Grasse, forced the flower of Britain's army to capitulate.

It was another generation of sturdy American stock that celebrated the famous surrender today, 28 years after the Yorktown Centennial. Again the magic message went forth. On the first occasion it took four days for it to travel to Philadelphia less than half the length of what were then the United States. Today, in the age of progress and quick communication it would have been possible for it to have gone to the Pacific coast, the western boundary of the nation in less than five minutes.

The Yorktown of today is a village of less than 100 people. It is as though the stage setting for that final drama of the Revolutionary War had been preserved as the actors left it, a relic of antiquity as well as a monument to American patriotism.

More human beings trod those historic streets today than have been there since 1881.

The descendants of the signers of the Declaration of Independence and and offspring of that organization, the Yorktown Historical Society of the United States recently decided to hold an annual celebration here henceforth on October 19th, and probably 5,000 people responded to their first appeal. When the fact that Yorktown is still without railroad communication with the outside world is taken into consideration, the attendance today was nothing short of remarkable.

Situated high on a hill overlooking the beautiful York river, a broad winding ribbon of still blue water, this peaceful village is one of most picturesque spots in America as well as the most historic. Usually the bosom of the river is as barren of boats as the hillside is of houses, but today there rode at anchor thereon the United States torpedo boats Stringham, Dupont, Shubrick and Biddle and the torpedo boat Summers, attached to the Maryland naval reserves. The lone dock at the foot of the hill swarmed with soldiery, that the companies of artillery having been sent up from Fortress Monroe to help to do honor to the occasion. The narrow streets, ankle deep in sand and grown up with wire grass, presented an incongruous sight. Automobiles threaded their way carefully through the crowds almost forcing pedestrians to the walls of crumbling houses when two of them attempted to pass in the same street. Upon every road for miles around was to be seen ox carts and automobile all bound in the same direction and all loaded to capacity, the former containing usually bright faced farmers' children, resplendent in new gingham frocks.

To most people present the exercises were the least part of the celebration, although there was a parade of mounted horsemen and horsewomen, led by the Fort Monroe band and the soldiers and sailors, then a parade of the school children and afterwards public speaking from a grand stand erected in front of the historic old Nelson Mansion.

Moreover little enthusiasm appeared on the surface, but much of it lurked in every heart. The crowd was not there to listen to speech making but rather to tread the sacred soil, to gaze upon the buildings in which American patriots had dwelt and to become impressed with the spirit which filled the air.

Although the parade did not start until after 1 o'clock this feature was disposed of in time to permit the speaking to begin at 2 o'clock, the scheduled hour. Earlier there had been business meetings of the two so-

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URGES GROWERS TO ORGANIZE

Inter-State Meeting of Farmers' Union Object to Fight "Trust" Prices on Tobacco—Will be Independent.

Danville, Va., Oct. 19.—An Inter-State meeting of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America, known as the Farmers' Union in Virginia, North Carolina, Kentucky and Tennessee, convened here today.

The meeting was called to order by B. F. Earles, of Lynchburg, the organizer for Virginia, and later Dr. H. O. Alexander, president of the North Carolina Union, was made chairman. Several addresses were made this morning when the speakers urged upon the tobacco growers to organize and fix a price to their product instead of letting the "trust" name its own price.

The prime object of the gathering here is to formulate some plan whereby the tobacco grower can be put on a more independent basis and secure higher prices for his labor.

After a few speeches a committee on ways and means was appointed to submit a report recommending the plan of procedure. The committee is composed of representatives from each of the States, and after their appointment the Union went into executive session. The meeting is expected to continue for two days.

BALLOON CONTROVERSY.

Speed Record Claim of Last Week is Again Disputed.

St. Louis, Oct. 19.—Another turn occurred today in the controversy over the long distance balloon speed record which arose when a balloon starting at St. Louis landed in South Carolina and which resulted last night in the unearthing of the fact that Prof. T. S. C. Lowe, head of the Lowe Observatory, covered 500 miles in nine hours April, 1861. It was discovered here today that John Wise surpassed this speed two years earlier. Wise's voyage, according to local records, started from St. Louis and ended at Henderson, N. Y. He sailed over this stretch of territory, 1,150 miles, in an air line in 19 hours, making a fraction over 60 miles an hour. Prof. Lowe's rate was 55.59 an hour.

The discussion followed the claim that A. B. Lambert and S. L. Von-Phul, of St. Louis, had established a new record by their flight from St. Louis Friday last making an average of 44 miles an hour to a point in Dorchester county, S. C. They based their claim to record on the fact that they had exceeded the speed made by A. Holland Forbes, of New York, and Max Fleischmann, of Cincinnati, on October 13, when the latter pair won the Lahm cup by flying 731 miles at an average speed of 38 miles an hour. Forbes, who is acting president of the aero club of America, asserted that this constituted an American record.

DR. CARLISLE DYING.

Well Known South Carolinian Former President of Wofford.

Spartanburg, S. C., Oct. 19.—Dr James H. Carlisle, president emeritus of Wofford College, is dying at his home here. Dr. Carlisle was elected president of the college in 1875 and is the only survivor of the signers of the ordinance of secession. He was the first college president in the South to receive an annuity from the Carnegie foundation.

ENGINE COLLIDED WITH CAR

Serious Accident at Columbus, Ga., in Which Two Were Injured.

Columbus, Ga., Oct. 19.—Mrs. W. O. Munroe and Miss Strictland and another woman was seriously injured today by a Central of Georgia switch engine that ran into another demolished a street car in the railroad yards. The motorman and conductor were not hurt.

OUTLINES.

The celebration at Yorktown, the quaint old Virginia city, which marks the scene of the famous Revolutionary conflict, was carried out with notable exercises yesterday, participated in by the Decendants of the Signers——The Farmers' Union of five States, including North Carolina, convened at Danville, Va., yesterday, with the object to organize and fight against the "trust" prices for their tobacco——Dr. J. M. Elliott, of LeGrange, Ga., will hang next Friday for the murder of George L. Rivers. Governor Grown refused to interfere with the death sentence——L. S. Dorn, a citizen of Parkville, S. C., was killed by a Southern train yesterday near Trenton, S. C.——The programme for President Taft's visit to Savannah, Ga., has been announced——The stockholders of the C. & O. yesterday elected directors and approved the purchase of three short railroads in Virginia——The 37th annual meeting of the American Health Association convened in Richmond yesterday——New York markets Money on call firm 4 to 4 1-2, ruling rate 4, closing bid 4, offered at 4 1-4, time loans easy but very dull; flour quiet with prices steady and unchanged; wheat spot easy, No. 2 red 1.21 domestic elevator; No. 2 red nominal f. o. b. afloat; corn spot easy, No. 2, 69 elevator domestic and 70 delivered No. 2, 69 1-2 f. o. b. afloat; oats spot quiet, No. 2, 31 to 32 pounds nominal. Rosin steady; turpentine.

GREAT STATE FAIR OPEN AT RALEIGH

Never so Auspicious an Opening of Week as on Yesterday.

STATE HOSPITAL COMMISSION

Arrangements Perfected for Opening New Epileptic Colony—Contracts Awarded for Supplies—Meet at Goldsboro.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 19.—The North Carolina State Fair probably never had so auspicious an opening as the 49th fair today. Crowds like an average Wednesday opening parade well nigh rivaled John Robinson's circus parade with wild west and other midway features in line, following official carriages and the marshals of whom an exceptionally large number are on hand for this day.

Governor Kitchin delivered the opening address in a speech for industrial progress and was cheered enthusiastically. The exhibits and midway features are of surprising excellence and the outlook is most auspicious.

The agricultural and live stock exhibits are probably twice as extensive as heretofore. The general commercial and industrial exhibits are more extensive and a number of manufacturing plants the State over have excellent exhibits. The fair is exceptionally good.

The State Hospital Commission today perfected arrangements to open the new colony building for epileptics and other new buildings of the Central Hospital for the Insane, for patients, within two weeks, making room for over 600 additional patients. Awarding of contracts for lights to the Carolina Light and Power Co., water, to the Wake Water Co., was the principal business together with hurrying up delayed shipments of furniture. The Central Hospital has a capacity of over 1,100.

The Commission adjourned until Nov. 2nd, when they will meet at the Eastern Hospital at Goldsboro, to consider an additional increase of 200 in capacity there, to be done provided enough money is left out of the $500,000 bond issue.

FUNERAL OF JUDGE McRAE.

Service Largely Attended Late Yesterday Afternoon at Fayetteville.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 19.—The remains of the late Judge J. C. McRae, distinguished jurist and dean of the University Law School, were brought here from Chapel Hill today and were borne to their last resting place in Cross Creek cemetery, followed by friends and relatives, and escorted by the F. I. L. I. and the Fayetteville bar. As the arrival of the train was delayed the services were rendered doubly impressive by the gathering gloom in which they were held. Revs. Hogue and Meade, of Chapel Hill, and Rev. N. C. Duncan, of Fayetteville, officiated. Dr. Thos. Ruffin and Prof. Hurtt, of the University, Maj. E. J. Hale, Col. C. W. Broadfoot, Dr. H. W. Lilly and Maj. Chas. Haigh were the honorary pall-bearers.

The active pall-bearers were composed of students of Judge MacRae at Chapel Hill as follows: Messrs. W. W. Peirce, C. J. Smith, H. M. Schulken, W. R. Dalton, J. D. McLean, Todd, H. L. Perry and L. J. Poisson. All exercises at the University Monday were suspended in honor of Judge MacRae and the services from the Chapel yesterday morning just before starting for Fayetteville, were largely attended and very impressive. Members of the law class will wear crepe for an indefinite time in honor of their dean.

The remains were accompanied here this afternoon by all members of the family, many sympathizing friends and relatives of the distinguished man. Dr. John MacRae, of Tampa, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith, and Mrs. J. V. Grainger, of Wilmington, arrived at noon today and joined the funeral party here.

DR. ELLIOTT MUST HANG.

Governor Brown Refuses to Interfere With Death Sentence.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 19.—Dr. J. M. Elliott, of LaGrange, Ga., sentenced to hang on Friday for the murder of George L. Rivers, must pay the penalty for the crime on the gallows. Governor Brown today declined to intervene in the death sentence, declaring no new evidence had been submitted in the case. The crime was committed September 1st, 1908.

DUBOIS INSTITUTE DESTROYED.

Other Property Burned at Homerville, Ga., Entailing Loss of $150,000.

Homerville, Ga., Oct. 19.—Fire which originated in the Dubois Institute here last night caused a loss of $150,000. There was no insurance. The institute, five dwelling and a livery stable were destroyed and for a time the court house as well as the entire business district of the town was threatened with destruction.

MUST HOLD CARTER FUNDS

Court Prevents Distribution of Money Alleged to Have Been Obtained Through Defalcation—Attorneys Fight for Fees.

Washington, Oct. 19.—Anticipating the proposed action tomorrow in Chicago of attorneys of Captain Oberlin M. Carter, convicted of defalcation in connection with Government improvement of the harbor at Savannah, Ga., to procure a further allowance of counsel fees, to be paid out of the Carter fund now in the hands of a receiver, the Supreme Court of the United States today issued an order staying proceedings in the United States Circuit Court for the Northern District of Illinois, so far as such an application is concerned. The fund consists of money the Government is attempting to obtain from Carter on the claim that it was procured through defalcation.

The application for the order was made by Solicitor General Bowers, who accompanied by Special Assistant Marion Erwin in charge of the Carter case from its beginning.

In bringing the matter to the attention of the court Mr. Bowers stated that notice has been given that the attorneys for Carter would tomorrow make application for a further allowance of counsel fees.

It is said that of $135,000 the Circuit Court had already granted fees amounting to $88,000. The grands had been for services in the Circuit Court alone. The present petition was for expenses in bringing an appeal to the Supreme Court. Mr. Bowers made the point that the Circuit Court was without jurisdiction to make such an allowance, notwithstanding Judge Kohlsaat had already taken the position that the matter was within his control.

On this statement of the judge Mr. Bowers said there was great apprehension that tomorrow's proceeding would result in further large grants and he feared that if these continued there would not long be much to fight over.

Attorney John B. Daosh appeared for Captain Carter saying that the petition to be presented in Chicago tomorrow was to be filed in his behalf for expenses in connection with the appeal. He called attention to the fact that as far back as 1901 there had been a stipuation between the Government and Captain Carter and his associates permitting the use of the fund so far as necessary for Carter's defense.

Mr. Bowers replied that the stiplation had not been lived up to and that it was not binding.

Without leaving seats on the bench the men of the court authorized the Chief Justice to direct the issuance of an order against the proceedings contemplated for tomorrow and permitting the Government to file its petition for a writ of prohibition enjoining Judge Kohlsaat from making a further distribution of the Carter funds. The rule was made returnable on the first of November.

ARRANGING FOR TAFT

Savannah's Programme of Welcome to Nation's Executive.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 19.—Announcement was made today of the completed programme for the entertainment of President Taft at this place November 4th and 5th with the speakers and their subjects for the banquet to be given in his honomr.

The President will reach Savannah at 7:30 o'clock on the evening of November 4th and after an informal reception at the DeSoto hotel will be a guest at a banquet at 9 o'clock. On the morning of November 5th he will board the revenue cutter Yamacraw and will make a trip of inspection along the river front, disembarking only to enter an automobile for a fast trip around the grand prize race course to a luncheon at Thunderbolt. Returning to the city by automobile the president will go at once to his train and will depart for Charleston.

While in Savannah President Taft will be the guest of General and Mrs. W. W. Gordon and will spend the night at their home. Governor Joseph M. Brown will arrive in Savannah on the Presidential train. Admiral Chas. S. Perry will be here as the guest of his son, M. L. Sperry. The speakers of the Taft banquet and the subjects of their addresses follow:

Address of Welcome—Judge Samuel B. Adams.

"The United States"—President William H. Taft.

"Georgia"—Governor Joseph M. Brown.

"The Army"—Hon. Jacob M. Dickinson.

"The Navy"—Admiral Charles S. Sperry.

"Savannah"—Judge W. G. Charlton.

"The Press"—General P. W. Meldrim.

"Woman"—W. C. Hartridge, Esq.

CLOUDBURST IN TEXAS.

1,500 Bales of Cotton Washed Into River—Lowlands Flooded.

San Marcus, Texas, Oct. 19.—A cloudburst struck this city early today, causing a heavy property loss. Over ten inches of rain has fallen within the past 24 hours. A loss of $80,000 was sustained when 1,500 bales of cotton were washed from a platform into the San Marcos river. Many houses in the lowlands are flooded but no loss of life has been reported.

CHANGE OF DUTY A TAFT BLUNDER

Ridder Writes Open Letter to President Claiming he Was Misled.

A TRADE WAR WITH CANADA

Is Probable As Result of Change in Printpaper Schedule—Claims It Will be Blow to American Manufacturers.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—President Taft was led into a serious blunder in the closing days of the recent session of Congress when he changed his duty on the printpaper schedule according to an open letter addressed to the executive and signed by Herman Ridder, of New York, president of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association.

Mr. Ridder's letter, written some time ago, was made public today, following its endorsement by the International and Laily Press Association. Mr. Ridder's letter follows:

To the President: "The full text of your address at Winona, Minn., on the tariff bill has just come to hand. With the utmost respect we submit that your statement respecting the paper schedule shows that you could have correctly read or understood what the printpaper paragraph contained, as it passed the House of Representatives.

"You were apparently misled by designing men into a serious blunder when, in the closing days of the tariff conference, they induced you to reverse your previous duty upon printpaper and changed your notions of what the Mann committee recommended and of what the House of Representatives had approved. The Mann committee after a 10 months investigation marked by unusual thoroughness, reported that a rate of two dollars would cover the difference in cost of production at home and abroad. The draft proposed absolutely safeguarded American paper mills against the serious Canadian tangle which your advice to the tariff conferees has since precipitated.

"The fixing of the rate on printpaper at $3.75 per ton, which you advised has decided the Province of Quebec to prohibit the exportation of its pulp wood, and many American paper mills must close or move to Canada, to obtain their supplies of raw material.

"The country is now in a fair way for trade war with Canada, because of your apparent failure to read correctly the Mann committee's recommendations. We are threatened with an industrial disturbance which will involve business interchanges with Canada amounting to $285,000,000 per annum.

"We sincerely trust that you can find some method for rectifying the mistake into which you were led. We fully appreciate the difficulties and responsibilities of your exalted office, and we believe you are trying to do the best you can. We know that you must rely upon others for your information. We feel that every citizen is under obligation to help you. Therefore, we write this latter to you."

(Signed) "Yours respectfully, Herman Ridder, president American Newspaper Publishers' Association."

JOHN CALLAHAN PASSES

Prominent Washington Citizens and Head of Steamship Company.

Washington, Oct. 19.—John Callahan, vice president and general manager of the Norfolk and Washington Steamship Company and a leading citizen of Washington, died today at his residence in this city. Mr. Callahan practically was the founder of the Norfolk and Washington line and was known widely in steamboat and transportation circles. His sons Daniel J. Callahan, assistant general manager, and William H. Callahan, general passenger agent and his wife survive him.

FIRE IN NASH COUNTY.

Residence of Mr. John Weathersby Totally Destroyed Yesterday.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Spring Hope, N. C., Oct. 19.—The country home of John Weathersby, of Franklin county, eight miles from here, was burned to the ground this afternoon. The fire was discovered in the boxing and nearly all the household effects were saved. It will cost $2,500 to replace the home, which was built years ago.

ANSON FALLS IN LINE

Hears Col. Jones and Will Vote For The Trans-continental.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wadesboro, N. C., Oct. 19.—Col. S. A. Jones addressed the people of Anson county here today with the result that Anson falls in line with Brunswick, Columbus, Robeson, Scotland and Richmond for a call for bonds for the Trans-continental Railroad. It looks unanimous.

NEW COTTON PICKING MACHINE

Theodore H. Price Behind Invention Given Practical Test on Senator McLaurin's Place at Bennettsville, S. C., on Monday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Bennettsville, S. C., Oct. 18.—The practical success of the Price-Campbell cotton picking machine was demonstrated on the plantation of Senator John L. McLaurin, near here, today, in the presence of a large number of planters and other citizens. The machine picked cotton at the rate of a thousand pounds an hour, without injury to the plant or unopen bolls. About ninety per cent of the open cotton was obtained at the first picking, and by running the machine over the same rows again, it got about ninety per cent of the balance, making 99 per cent. There was a considerable amount of trash in the cotton picked, but many practical farmers said they had seen more trash in hand-picked cotton.

A hundred acre field of cotton was bought last Summer from Senator McLaurin by Theodore H. Price, of New York, for the demonstration of the machine. It was expected to be here earlier in the season, but could not be gotten ready till now. No cotton had been picked in the field, and the bolls which opened early in the season had been damaged by dust and smoke in the field, and the foliage had become dry and rotten, so that the cotton naturally made a poorer appearance than if it had been picked soon after opening. Some of the cotton was ginned and submitted to buyers here, who classed it as low middling to strict low middling, and priced it about a half cent below middling. They said they had bought a great deal of cotton this season which was not as good as that picked by the machine.

Upon the invitation of Mr. Price, a number of northern capitalists came down Saturday and witnessed a private test of the machine. They saw a bale of cotton picked in an hour and then ginned. The party included V. Ernest Macy, Marshal P. Slade, W. F. Carpenter, George W. Baxter, Rudolph H. Kissel, George S. Baker ,and Elwood Hendrick, of New York; Herbert F. Walmsley and Herbert E. Walmsley, Jr., of New Bedford, Mass.; Stephen S. Lowe, F. P. Sheldon, Frederic S. Goodwin, C. L. Hathaway, F. W. Perkins and O. D. Hammond, of Boston; S. H. McKibbon and George W. Sordom, of Pittsburg, and Joel Hurt, of Atlanta. They were fully convinced that the machine is a success.

The machine is driven by an automobile engine, and the driver sits in front and steers the machine astride a row of cotton. It moves over a row as fast as a man can walk, picking about an acre an hour. Two projecting "noses" run ahead of the machine, on each side of the row, and lift up the limbs that are near the ground. The limbs are all gathered up and pressed into a space about a foot wide. While the stalk is thus held, small steel spindles reach through it from both sides, reaching every inch of space. On one side of each spindle is a row of small teeth, so short that they will not catch hold of anything except the cotton fibre. These spindles are revolving rapidly, and when a lock of cotton is touched, it is caught and wrapped around the spindle, thus twisting it out of the burr. The spindles then move out of the plant, stop revolving, and the cotton is taken off by ribs similar to the brest of a gin. It falls on conveyors, which empty it in bags at the rear of the machine. A boy sits on the rear of the machine and packs the cotton in the bag. The boy would not be needed if the bags were large enough to hold a round without packing.

Very few pieces of locks are left in the burrs. The cotton left is usually in whole bolls or locks. The spindles either miss them or else are already lodged when they come in contact with them. When a spindle engages a lock, it usually twists it all out. Running the machine over a row the second time demonstrated the fact that practically all the cotton could be gotten the first time by doubling the capacity of the machine, which can be done by lengthening the batter of spindles.

Angus Campbell, of Pittsburg, the inventor of the machine, is also here He has been working at it eight or ten years. It has also been improved by other inventors, working under the direction of Mr. Price, who has thrown his whole soul and energy and vast financial resources into the development of the machine. He does not even read the cotton market reports wired to him here, so intensely is he engrossed in the tests of the picker. He spends each day out at Senator McLaurin's plantation, and is usually accompanied by Mrs. Price, who is with him at the McCall hotel here.

ATLANTA'S HORSE SHOW.

A Feature Event in the South—National Entries.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 19.—An audience estimated at 10,000 witnessed the opening tonight of Atlanta's third horse show. The beauty and chivalry of the South from far and near filled the boxes of the big auditorium and ovreflowed into the spacious balconies. The exquisite gowns of the women and the lavish decorations of red and white in the area, with the lights, show equipages and music made a fairy-like scene.

While this is the third horse show in the city, it is the first at which an organized and successful effort was made to get National entries. In the present show besides the splendid Vanderbilt stables there are representatives from the stock farms of Missouri, New York, Kentucky, Virginia and even from Canada. The classes tonight were largely confined to saddle horses and light harness turnouts.

Mr. F. G. Fritz, Oneonta, N. Y., writes: "My little girl was greatly benefitted by taking Foley's Orino Laaxtive, and I think it is the best remedy for constipation and liver trouble." Foley's Orino Laxative is mild, pleasant and effective and cures habitual constipation. Robt. R. Bellamy.

TO DEVELOP WATERWAYS

Striking Address by Congressman Moore, President of Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, Yesterday.

Yorktown, Va., Oct. 19.—Declaring that while with good roads and improved waterways in the United States the revolutionary war could not have lasted eight years, J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, president of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, in addressing a large audience here today showed that General Washington had insisted that free and easy commercial intercourse between the Atlantic seaboard and "the amazing territory to the westward of us" was "the best if not the only cement" that could bind the Colonial States upon a permanent basis. Washington and his compatriots, he pointed out, counted upon international trade to assist in building up the colonies and to populate and develop the vast country over which the grasp of England had been released.

"Modern advocates of improved roads and water courses," said Mr. Moore, "can in no wise claim priority as promoters of what we believe today to be essential aid to our country's progress."

"Through numerous other letters and papers Washington's keen interest in this form of National development may be readily traced,' continued Mr. Moore. "He had personally inspected much of the country of which he referred. He was skeptical owing to the Spanish possessions, of a development of the Mississippi, lest it might involve some disagreeable consequences to the trade and interests of the Atlantic seaboard States, but he was ever and always thinking of that intercommunication as between the Atlantic seaboard and the West, which the rivers alone were able to afford. He had the desire that many rivers coursing through Virginia might be connected up with other rivers from the West in order that the products of the settlers might be readily brought to market, but his inquiries and suggestions were as comprehensive with regard to the opening up of the Great Lakes to the Atlantic and all other sections along the coast, as they were to his native State.

"This important problem, therefore, revived in the public as it recently has been by the creation of many associations and by a growing interest in Congress and amongst the State Legislatures, is not new. Why, then, after the lapse of more than a hundred years, are the minds of the people again turned to the problems which confronted their forefathers? The answer is clear. Our ancestors, charged with the perilous task of organizing a country which had been woefully retarded by an eight years' war, were compelled to depend upon the river or the canal or the lumbering coach for the transportation of themselves and their commodities. They never knew of the railroad and its manifold advantages, nor had the steamboat yet come to aid the shipper or the merchant."

Citing the wonderful railroad development in the United States as a reason for temporarily detracting from the usefulness of the water courses and diverting the attention of the people from them Mr. Moore insisted that today there was an awakening not only along the Atlantic coast, but along the "Father of the Waters" and on the Pacific Slope in behalf of the same doctrine in which Washington and our forefathers believed.

"It is," he said, "the cry of commerce and of labor, of capital and industry, demanding again that the waterways of the United States, its harbors and approaches, be developed now, even as Washington and his compeers hoped for their development. It is not that the railroad is failing to give the best it can afford: it is not that marvelous benefits, uniting States and sections, oceans, lakes and gulfs, have not ensued since the iron horse began its civilization of the wilderness: it is simply that the population of the country has grown more rapidly in proportion than has the ability of the railroad to comply with the requirements of modern transportation. For these reasons we might also encourage the construction of such military roads as are proposed for the convenience of the people from Yorktown by way of Williamsburg, to Jamestown, Va., or from the capital city, which bears the name of Washington, to that historic battlefield of Gettysburg, where the work of Washington at Yorktown was crowned for perpetuity by the immortal Abraham Lincoln."

A LIBERAL OFFER.

Anyone Can Try Samose, the Remarkable Flesh-Forming Food.

When one of the leading druggists in Wilmington tells you that he has a preparation which he so thoroughly believes in that he will refund your money if it does not do all that is claimed for it, it shows that the article must have unusual merits. It is in this way that J. Hicks Bunting is selling Samose, the remarkable flesh-building food.

This great discovery is destined to work a great revolution in treating the thin ,the weak and the sick. There can be no doubt that it helps people who are weak and sickly, who are tired, and who have poor digestion. restoring them quickly to health and strength. and increasing the weight so that life is a pleasure and a joy.

Samose is in reality a concentrated food, and restores life and vitality at once to the blood. It mixes with the ordinary foods and aids dixestion; it extracts from the food that you eat the flesh-forming and strength giving elements, building up the tissues and the general health.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Robt. R. Bellamy.

A NEW CLYDE LINE.

Steamers Will Ply Between Boston and Texas Soon.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 19.—The prospective establishment of a direct steamship line between this city and Texas at an early date was announced today by the transportation committee of the Chamber of Commerce. It is believed that the line will furnish direct freight service with weekly sailings to gulf ports. It is expected that the new line will prove of great advantage to the cotton mills of Eastern New England.

The line will be operated by the Clyde Steamship Company, one of the subsidiaries of the Atlantic, Gulf & West Indies, and it is expected that the steamers will be comparatively new vessels.

MINISTER WU TO MEXICO.

Distinguished Chinese Ambassador Will Visit President Diaz.

Washington, Oct. 19.—Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister, who has been recalled, is contemplating a visit to Mexico and Cuba, to which countries he is also accredited before his departure for home. He is going to Mexico for the purpose of thanking President Diaz for the honor paid the memory of the dead Emperor of China in sending a special envoy to attend his funeral. For this particular purpose Mr. Wu has been created a special ambassador. He will remain away from Washington for several weeks, coming home by water and stopping at Havana on the way.

CIRCUS DAY THURSDAY.

Howe's London Shows Coming to Wilmington Tomorrow Morning.

"Don't forget to call me, mother,
Please have pa set the alarm,
For the Show will get in early—
I won't miss it for a farm."

Many a youngster will sleep with one eye open watching for the first break of dawn, and as soon as the sun begins to peep above the horizon will quietly slip on his clothes and sneak down the back stairs, softly open the back door and hike toward the depot and perch on a box car to await the first appearance of the show trains. Of course, when Jimmy gets down he finds that Bill, Pete, Jack and some of the rest of "the gang" were there already and guy him for not getting up before 4 o'clock, but what's the difference? It will be show day just the same.

Many older people are inclined to laugh at the small boy for arising at such an unseemly hour and following the show from the time it pulls into town until its large tents are spread and the parade is started from the ground, but if they only knew it little Johnny has the best of many of the older people. He is able to see many things that are of greater interest than even the most thrilling of the performances in the big tent. Few people realize the wonderful system that enables a big organization like Howe's Great London Shows to be moved from one city to another, get ready and give two performances in one day and get them out of town without friction and seemingly without effort.

The show comes and goes with its thousands of dollars' worth of property, its hundreds of employes and its acres of canvas, and few people think anything about it. They do not stop to think of the wonderful amount of work that is necessary to conduct a great amusement enterprise like Howe's Great London Shows, but take it as a matter of course, because circuses have come and circuses have gone for years.

The show date with us will be Thursday, Oct. 21st.

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THE STATE IN EPITOME

¶News, Comment and Incidents as Reflected in the North Carolina Press. : : : : : :

Farmer Commits Suicide.

Winston-Salem, N. C., Oct. 18.—Lee Sands, a prosperous farmer, residing near Pinnacle, Surry county, committed suicide yesterday afternoon by shooting himself through the heart. He was 54 years old and had been in failing health for two years. He is survived by a widow and several children.

Thirsty at Greenville.

Greenville, Oct. 18.—Lawrence Narcott, colored, while en route to deliver a gallon of whiskey from the express company, was assaulted on the street by some unknown party who threw three bricks at him. These struck the negro on the head, the shoulder and the side. The assailant got the liquor and made off. The negro was given medical attention.

Dr. Rose's Condition.

Fayetteville Observer: Dr. A. S. Rose has returned from Laurinburg, where he went to see his uncle, Rev. Dr. John Rose, who underwent an operation for appendicitis last week. Mr. Rose's condition, while critical, may be alleviated by another operation, which it is said is necessary, and will be performed as soon as he recovers from the effects of the last one.

Ashe Votes No Bonds.

Winston-Salem, N. C., Oct. 18.—Ashe, a mountain county, on Saturday voted down a proposition to issue $250,000 in bonds for the building of a railroad from Jefferson to the North Carolina line, 24 miles, to connect with the Norfolk and Western. Assurances have been given the citizens of Ashe that a road will be built next year from Jefferson to North Wilkesboro to connect with the Southern Railway.

Pythians at St. Paul's.

Lumberton Robesonian: Lumberton Lodge, No. 35, Knights of Pythias, will institute a new Pythian lodge at St. Paul's tomorrow evening and a special train will be run to St. Paul's over the V. & C. S. for the occasion. The train will leave Lumberton at 6 o'clock P. M., will return tomorrow night, and transportation will be free All Pythians are invited.

Editor Bivins Injured.

Wadesboro, N. C., Oct. 18.—Telephonic advices bring news of an accident in which W. C. Bivens, editor of The Ansonian, was injured at Hartsville, S. C., yesterday. Mr. Bivens went to Hartsville for a short visit Saturday. While out driving the horse became unmanageable and ran away. It is reported that while Mr. Bivens' injuries are not serious he cannot be brought home for several days.

Goes to Arizona.

Fayetteville Observer: Mr. James N. Marsh, who was here recently on a visit to Miss Kate Matthews, has accepted the position of General Superintendent of the Knights of Pythias Insurance for the States of Arizona and New Mexico, the appointment coming from the head office at Chicago. Mr. Marsh will locate at Douglas, Arizona, and his friends join with him in hoping that the ideal climate of that territory will prove beneficial to his health.

Accidentally Shot.

Winston-Salem, N. C., Oct. 18.—While loading an old-time automatic shotgun, which was to be placed in his granary to shoot thieves, John H. Haines, a 72-year-old farmer, of Davie county, accidentally shot the tip end of his left forefinger off. About 20 shot also took effect in his left leg at the knee and fear of serious results is expressed by the family. Mr. Hanes says his automatic gun shot a man stealing corn from his mill several years ago and that he concluded to test it on a party who had been taking wheat from his granary. Today the weapon was destroyed.

Endowment for Davidson.

Charlotte News: The city of Charlotte has signified its willingness to raise $30,000 for the endowment fund of Davidson College. The First Presbyterian church takes $13,000 and the Second church the same amount, while the remainder will be sought amongst the other churches of the city. Following a brilliant presentation in this church of the needs of the college, as well as the work it is doing in sending out a fine set of men annually into all professions, by Rev. Dr. T. W. Lingle yesterday morning, a goodly sum was raised which brings the amount so far subscribed by this church up to $6,000, about half of its amount, and theer are four years in which the payments may be completed. They must all be in by June 30, 1913. If the Presbyterians of the South have not by that time raised $250,000, to which the General Education Board is to add a similar amount, the pledges made yesterday will not be binding any further.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

Fourteenth Biennial Session in Progress at Raleigh This Week.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 19.—The fourteenth biennial session of the North Carolina Grand Lodge of Knights of Honor convened yesterday at 10 o'clock in the Odd Fellows hall. The grand officers present were as follows: Grand Dictator Dr. Frank Boyette, of Warsaw; Grand Vice Dictator R. J. Peel, of Willamston; Grand Reporter P. C. Carlton, of Statesville; Grand Guardian G. L. Kilpatrick, of Kinston; Grand Treasurer S. C. Scofield, of Davidson College; Grand Sentinel R. J. Stockely, of Asheville. Grand Chaplain Dr. F. O. Hawley, of Charlotte; Grand Guide N. R. Oliver, of Winston.

At the morning session yesterday the books were audited and other routine business transacted.

At 2 o'clock the Grand Lodge was favored with an excellent address by Supreme Dictator Bentley, of New Orleans, in which he gave the history of the order, which is said to be the oldest of the kind in existence. Mr. Bentley left for New Orleans yesterday afternoon.

THE TRANSCONTINENTAL.

Robeson Commissioners Call Election to Vote on Bond Issue.

(Lumberton Robesonian.)

A special meeting of the county commissioners was held Friday and an election was called for the 26th day of November next to vote on issuing bonds for the South Atlantic Transcontinental railroad, which it is proposed to build from the coal fields of Tennessee to Southport, at the Cape Fear river.

It will be recalled that Col. S. A. Jones, of Waynesville, whose darling dream the construction of this road is, addressed a meeting of business men in Lumberton on the 5th inst., and at Maxton on the 6th, securing enough signers to a petition for the commissioners to call the election. That is, it was thought that enough signers had been secured, as 80 names appeared on the petition, but law requires a petition of this nature to be signed by 50 freeholders, and when the names were canvassed it was found that there were only 49 freeholders among the 80, so it was necessary to secure another name, which was done.

The proposition to build a road from Knoxville, or the coal fields of Tennessee, connecting there with roads to the Northwest, to Southport, which is to be made a great seaport, the counties through which the road passes to vote bonds in the sum of $3,000 for every mile of road within their borders, these bonds to be exchanged for stock in the road. Colonel Jones has secured the endorsement of the State Legislature for the plan.

ROBESON VETERANS.

Coming to Wilmington For Taft Day. Meeting on Saturday.

(Lumberton Robesonian.)

Quite a crowd of veterans attended the meeting of Camp Willis H. Pope, held in the opera house Saturday. The meeting was called to order at 11 o'clock A. M. by Commander J. A. McAllister. About the only business of importance transacted was the decision of the camp to go in a body to Wilmington, November 9th, Taft Day there. Adjutant M. G. McKenzie was instructed to obtain a special coach and make all other necessary arrangements, and to invite the members of all other camps to go with this camp.

After the business meeting Mrs. J. R. Poole entertained the veterans with a recitation, "Music on the Rappahannock," which was exceedingly well rendered and very much enjoyed, Miss Laura Norment playing piano accompaniment where music was called for. Dr. R. M. Norment then delivered an address on the life and character of Capt. Willis H. Pope, in whose honor the camp is named.

Dr. Norment closed his address with an exquisitely beautiful and touching tribute to home which was nothing short of a poem in prose.

A rising vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Poole and Dr. Norment and the meeting, which was a thoroughly enjoyable one, was brought to a close.

RANCH LIFE IN EARLY DAYS.

Wild West and Far East Will Introduce a Scene.

Among the many interesting scenes depicting western life in the early days which will be presented as part of Buffalo Bill's Wild West and Pawnee Bill's Far East when it visits this city will be A Holiday at "T-E" Ranch. In this scene the pleasures and pastimes of the plainsman will be depicted. His sports and amusements will be re-enacted with the same fidelity to fact which marks all the features of this remarkable exhibition. The scene painter has reproduced with as much exactness as circumstances will permit, the ranch house of Col. Cody and its surroundings. "T-E" Ranch is the Winter home of Buffalo Bill, in Wyoming, near Cody, a prosperous city which has been named in his honor. Here it is that Buffalo Bill spends his vaactions between the traveling seasons of this historic exhibition. The scene depicts a typical cowboy holiday and the sports and pleasures of the plainsman are enacted in detail. Ray Thompson's troupe of educated bronchos and mustangs is also introduced in the ranch scene. They are the first Western horses that have ever been trained to duplicate the feats of thoroughbred circus horses. Never before have the accomplishments of these ponies been attempted by horse trainers, for it has been an accepted belief that bronchos and mustangs could not be trained to do exhibition "stunts." The holiday festivities are interrupted by an attack by Indians and the resulting action shows in a striking manner the perils of life during the era of the pioneer settlers of the prairies.

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McCUE INSURANCE CASE.

Supreme Court Will Review the Findings of the Lower Court.

Washington, Oct. 18.—The Supreme Court of the United States today announced its determination to review the findings of the lower courts in the case of McCue vs. the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company. This case involves the question as to whether the ordinary life insurance policy insures against hanging under sentence of the law. McCue is one of the heirs of the late Mayor McCue, of Charlottesville, Va., who was hanged a few years ago on the charge of murdering his wife. The insurance company refused to make payment on a policy amounting to $15,000. The United States Circuit Court for the Western District of Virginia decided in favor of the company, holding that death on the gallows was not one of the risks against which McCue was insured, but the Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit reversed that finding and held in favor of the McCue policy. The Supreme Court will go over the entire record and decide the case upon its merits.

LADY COOK WILL SEE TAFT.

Ready to Spend Fortune to Secure Votes for Women.

New York, Oct. 18.—Lady Francis Cook, better known in this country as Tennessee Claflin, who arrived here today by the White Star Liner Celtic, says that she is ready, if need be, to spend $1,0000,000, all her fortune, to win votes for women. She will place the money, she says, with New York bankers.

"I am going right to Taft," Lady Cook continued, "to see if I cannot get him to do what Lincoln did, but by peaceable measures. I shall call the President's attention to 14th amendment of the Constitution. The Constitution says that only idiots, the insane and convicts may not vote, and I want to know if that bars women.

"King Edward, at heart, sympathizes with us and so did his mother, Queen Victoria, before him."

LABOR MEETING ENDS.

Number of Important Labor Questions Were Settled.

Tampa, Fla., Oct. 18.—The Building Trades Department of the American Federation of Labor cleaned up all the business for the 1909 session tonight and tomorrow the delegates will be departing for their respective homes.

The matters of widespread interest in labor circles were settled. In disputes between the iron workers and the laborers the former were given jurisdiction over the work. The hod carriers and the lathers were ordered to hold a convention next May in order to bring all seceding local unions under one general branch of the department.

In the election which came late in the evening there was but one change and that was the substitution of Mr. McNulty for Mr. Banninge, who withdrew.

CLERGYMAN DEPOSED.

Renounced the Creed of the Episcopal Church.

Washington, Oct. 18.—Rev. G. W. H. Troop, an Episcopal clergyman who recently renounced the creed of his church for the Unitarian faith, today was deposed from the ministry by Bishop Alfred Harding, Episcopal Bishop of Washington.

Rev. Mr. Troop formerly served as assistant pastor of St. John's Church, in Georgetown, and created a sensation in church circles when four months ago he announced his renunciation of the faith in which he was ordained.

Bishop Harding issued a public statement that he had deposed Rev. Mr. Troop, at the latter's request, and for causes not affecting his moral character.

MAN DECAPITATED.

Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 18.—Near Jellico, Tenn., this morning a Southern Railway switch engine passed over the body of Elbert Gilbert, decapitating it. The crew of the engine believe that Gilbert had been murdered and his body placed upon the rails only a few minutes before he was struck by the engine. The engineer who stopped his engine within 20 feet after passing over the body, learned that Gilbert had been seen less than 20 minutes before, in a heated argument with a companion near where the body was found. Gilbert was married.

Money Comes in Bunches

to A. A. Chisholm, of Treadwell, N. Y., now. His reason is well worth reading "For a long time I suffered from indigestion, torpid liver, constipation, nervousness, and general debility," he writes. "I couldn't sleep, had no appetite, nor ambition, grew weaker every day in spite of all medical treatment. Then used Electric Bitters. Twelve bottles restored all my old time health and vigor. Now I can attend to business every day. It's a wonderful medicine." Infallible for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Blood and Nerves. 50c at R. R. Bellamy's.

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Erie, Pa.—"I suffered for five years from female troubles, and at last was almost helpless. I tried three doctors but they did me no good. My sister advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it has made me well and strong. I hope all suffering women will just give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, for it is worth its weight in gold."—Mrs. J. P. Endlich, R. F. D. 7, Erie, Pa.

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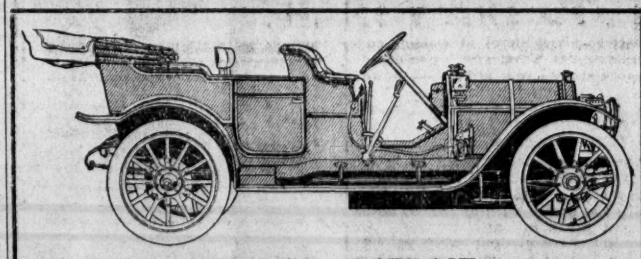

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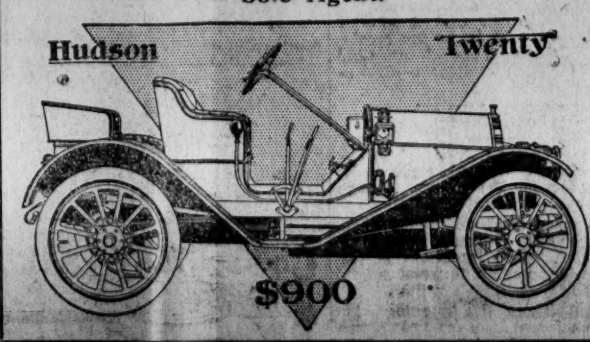

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WILMINGTON AND THE NORTH.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48. Daily.	No. 42. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington ..	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount..	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:41 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	*8:35 am
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington ..	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. W. Phila.....	3:45 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York.....	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41. Daily.	No. 49. Daily.
Lv. New York.....	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. W. Phila	11:49 am	12:19 am
Lv. Baltimore	2:10 am	2:46 am
Lv. Washington ...	3:35 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk	3:20 pm	8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:10 pm	8:15 am
Lv. Petersburg ..	7:47 pm	9:13 am
Lv. Weldon	9:35 pm	11:35 am
Lv. Rocky Mount..	5:00 am	12:50 pm
Lv. Wilson	5:36 am	2:09 pm
Lv. Goldsboro	6:35 am	3:05 pm
Ar. Wilmington ...	9:25 am	6:00 pm

WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND. Via Wilson

	51 Daily.	55 Daily.	42 Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	4:55 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor..	9:05 am	7:25 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Col'bia.	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Chars.	1:20 pm	11:25 pm	7:00 am
Ar. Savh ..	6:30 pm	2:20 am	9:20 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:50 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:00 pm	10:30 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	50 Daily.	54 Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville ..	8:50 am	7:45 pm
Lv. Savannah	1:05 pm	12:15 am
Lv. Charleston	5:25 pm	6:10 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	8:00 am
Lv. Florence	8:40 pm	9:25 am
Ar. Wilmington ...	12:40 am	1:35 pm

WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

Westbound. 53 Daily.		Eastbound. 52 Daily.
8:40 AM	Lv Wilmington Ar	8:05 PM
11:45 AM	Ar Fayetteville Lv	4:50 PM
12:10 PM	Lv Fayetteville Ar	4:45 PM
1:40 PM	Ar. Sanford Lv	3:30 PM

WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Northbound. 62 Daily except Sunday.		Southbound. 63
3:25 PM	Lv Wilmington Ar	12:50 PM
5:17 PM	Ar Jacksonville Lv	10:55 AM
6:44 PM	Ar N & S. Jct Lv	9:35 AM
6:50 PM	Ar Newbern Lv	9:30 AM

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Trains 48 and 49 carry Pullman cars between Wilmington and Norfolk

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No. 40 arrives 1:15 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No 36 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 81 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

	No. 45.	No. 39.
Lv Wilm't'n.....	3:00 A.M.	3:20 P.M
Ar Lumb'ton.....	5:30 A.M.	5:37 P.M
Ar. Maxton.....	6:12 A.M.	6:35 P.M
Ar. Hamlet.....	7:00 A.M.	7:30 P.M
Lv. Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	8:15 P.M
Ar. Monroe	9:25 A.M.	10:20 P.M
Ar. Charlotte....	10:25 A.M.	11:20 P.M

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos 18 and 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 39 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 37 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect Thursday, September 30th 1909.

TO BEACH.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:30, 10:00, and 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 7:10 and 8:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10 and 8:30 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Lumina at 7:45, 9:15, and 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15, 7:50 and 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Lumina at 9:45, 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:25, 6:50, 7:50, and 9:15 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 6:20, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 5:25, 6:35, 8:00, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 9:55, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

TO DELGADO AND GOLF LINKS.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 3:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, *2:25, 3:00, *3:45, 4:30, *5:05, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, and 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at *8:25, 8:30, *9:05, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, *2:25, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, and 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Golf Links at 6:35, 8:10, 8:40, 9:40, 11:10 A. M. 12:40, 2:10, *2:35, 4:10, *5:15, 5:40, 6:40, 8:15, 9:40 10:45 and 11:45 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Golf Links at *8:35, *9:15, 10:10, 11:10 A. M., *12:15, 12:40, *1:35, 2:10, 3:40, 4:10, 12:40, 2:10, *2:35, *3:55, 4:10, 5:15, 5:40, 6:40, 8:15, 9:40, 10:45 and 11:45 P. M.

**"Carolina" all others shown in this schedule marked "Beach."

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Lv. Petersburg ...	10:25 a.m.	10:20 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg ...	2:30 p.m.	2:15 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	7:30 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:45 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:00 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis.....	7:38 p.m.	6:30 a.m.

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THE HOLIDAY EVIL.

It seems that this country is bound to make the legal holiday an obnoxious if not odious custom. The lawmakers do not seem content with the already burdensome and trying number of legal holidays, but they go on making new ones.

There are a certain number of holidays which custom makes agreeable and others which patriotism justifies, but we fear the holiday habit is going to pall on the people. Those which we have are more than necessary and some of them are observed in a spirit contrary to the solemnity of the events and occasions which they commemorate. It is quite likely that more of them will degenerate if we keep on adding new legal holidays.

Thank goodness, the North Carolina Legislature has steered clear of the Columbus holiday, commemorating the discovery of America by Christopher Columbus, October 12, 1492. However, the New York Legislature not long since established October 12th as a legal holiday, and it was recently more or less celebrated in New York as well as some other cities where there are large colonies of Italians. Of the day in New York the Financial Chronicle, of October 16th, in its leading article on the "Financial Situation" says:

"The people of this State have this week had their first experience with a new holiday—Columbus Day—and they are not at all pleased with it. In the mercantile community there is a consensus of opinion that the holiday is a needless one, without excuse or justification. It comes at a busy season, with the Labor Day holiday just behind us and the Election Day and the Thanksgiving Day holidays right in front of us. A little further beyond Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Lincoln's Birthday and Washington's Birthday loom up. These, it is felt, provide interruptions enough to the ordinary routine, and hence there is no occasion for sandwiching in another dies non. This being the common opinion, business on the day named went on about as usual. The truth is, hardly one man in a thousand knew that our wise men at Albany had inflicted a new holiday upon the population, and among the rank and file of the people the feeling on learning of the fact was one of indignation that such a thing should have occurred. During the Summer season, weather conditions necessarily impose some check upon human activities of every kind, but the period of semi-idleness is presumed to come to an end on Labor Day. After that the business man and the laboring man alike desire nothing so much as to be allowed to pursue their daily affairs free from interference of any kind.

"Thus it has happened that the day has been scarcely observed at all. The banks and financial institutions could not well keep open, since it was a legal holiday. The Stock Exchange and the mercantile exchanges, which in their operations are more or less dependent on the facilities afforded by the banks, also perforce had to shut down, and in this way a portion of the community was put in a state of enforced idleness. But beyond that the effect of the legislative decree making the day a holiday did not extend. Where the obstacles to so doing were not insuperable, the merchant, the business man, the wage earner, and the workingman all testified their dislike for the new holiday by remaining at work—always barring those Italian societies which availed of the occasion to engage in a parade. Obviously, however, business has to be conducted under a decided handicap while a part of the community is in enforced idleness. The fact that deposits cannot be made at the banks, or drafts and checks cashed, is itself a great obstacle. It is for these reasons that the ordinary man objects so strenuously to the additional holiday. Though he be determined to ignore the day, he cannot carry on his daily affairs except under difficulties. The Legislature should respond to the popular wish by rescinding its action and repealing the new law when it re-convenes next January."

The Chronicle is quite right in wanting Columbus Day "cut out." It has already been made a holiday in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and in Ohio, if we mistake not. Anyhow, New York, for instance, is more grievously burdened with holidays than we are in North Carolina, and certainly we have all we need. In New York there are 36 holidays in a year, and every week Saturday is a half-holiday. Added to that are 52 Sundays, and the Chronicle figures out that it makes 88 days, or nearly a quarter of a year, that business is either suspended or impeded.

The fact of the business is the holiday is the cause of an immense loss in production and money in this country. It amounts to millions on top of millions, and it is labor that loses the most, not to mention the inconvenience and immense loss to the business and industries of this country. It surely is an erroneous idea that every time a holiday is established it confers a benefit on labor. A certain number of holidays distributed throughout the year are proper and commendable, but it must be remembered that even then labor pays for every holiday that it gets. People get no pay for idle days, and not only that, most of us spend in one holiday what we will make in a week or more

Don't let us get the holiday habit.

ASSASSINATION OF MAYOR NEWBERRY.

The assassination of Mayor Y. B Newberry, of Newport, Carteret county, last Saturday night, was a most cold-blooded and deplorable affair. The bloody deed was committed almost at the door of his home, and his small daughter was almost immediately at the body of her father who was shot in the back of his head with a load of buckshot which killed him instantly. His wife was sick in bed and only two small children were the other members of his horrified family.

There is melancholy satisfaction in the strong probability that his murderers were captured. At least two white men who were recently among a number whose arrest for violating the prohibition laws was brought about by the murdered mayor. There was the motive, but there is an ugly aspect to the affair in the statement sent out from the scene of the murder that Mayor Newberry, who is also chairman of the board of county commissioners, had employed negro detectives to run down blind tigers kept by white men.

While that will not lessen the lawlessness of the violators of the liquor law, nor minimize the heinousness of their awful deed, the fact that negroes were employed as sleuths was calculated to stir up bad blood. It may be justifiable, but it is bad judgment in view of the fact that it aroused a spirit that otherwise might not have been of such tragic consequence.

No doubt an example will be made of the murderers, if the crime can be proven clearly on the men suspected.

WHAT A LIVE MAN CAN DO.

Editor H. B. Varner, of the Lexington Dispatch, is being awarded well deserved congratulations for the fact that Davidson county has voted $100,000 in bonds for good roads.

The editor lent the powerful and effective use of his newspaper to the cause and waged a campaign that was vigorous and convincing. He not only employed the columns of his paper to urge the importance and necessity of good roads, but he was so enthusiastic and determined that Davidson should line up with North Carolina's most progressive counties, that he gathered up influential men from different sections of his county and carried them to Mecklenburg county, so they could get an object lesson that would cinch them for the good roads cause forever.

The Davidson men saw what modern highways had done for Charlotte and Mecklenburg county, and they returned home enthusiastic converts. When a man sees those Mecklenburg highways, if he can keep from being envious he is made out of mighty good stuff. We can say the same about New Hanover's good roads.

Editor Varner did an incalculable service for his county, and it reminds us to say that there is no telling what a live editor and a good newspaper are worth to a community. They are big assets.

WONDERFUL COAL HANDLING DEVICE.

The Norfolk Landmark of Sunday contains an interesting account of the test of a coal handling device for discharging coal from a vessel. The demonstration was made on the new naval collier Hector and it was witnessed by naval officers and others interested.

The device is the Ledgerford marine coal transfer, with which the Hector and her sister ships, the Mars and the Vulcan, are equipped. The device performed the notable feat of discharging coal at the rate of 190 tons per hour—for three consecutive hours. In other words, it did the work of 150 able bodied men, while only two men are required to operate the mechanism.

The test was highly satisfactory to the Government officials, as might naturally be presumed.

The affidavit of a man who states under oath that he has been a liar and a falsifier of records is the kind of evidence that the public receives but doesn't accept.

When Col. Roosevelt comes home and finds out that the Trusts that he busted still live, he will come to the conclusion that killing a rhinocerous is easier than chasing an octupus.

Dr. Cook proposes to again ascend Mount McKinley to recover the records which he placed upon its highest pinacle, as proof that the did reach that great mountain's top several years ago. Even if he does do that, Commander Peary will insist that he shall discover the North Pole again before he will believe it.

The fair at Charlotte will be in full beast next Tuesday, and both the exhibits and attractions will be on a scale that will make the exhibition and carnival features the best of its kind ever held in the Queen City. Charlotte expects to be crowded during the coming week, and we only wish we were there to get in the push.

Think of a woman who holds meeting in an American city and preaches arson, murder and anarchy to great crowds of people of a class who are hard to restrain at best. However, that is what Emma Goldman, the avowed anarchist, is doing in New York, and the strange part of it is that she is permitted by the police to harrangue the populace so long as there is no disorder. We are glad the Emma Goldmans are few.

CURRENT COMMENT.

No use trying to be optimistic—Roosevelt will turn up about the time we get rid of Peary and Cook—Charlotte News.

What! A car shortage on the Norfolk & Western! That sounds precisely like prosperity. And we hope it isn't a false alarm.—Greensboro Telegram.

About the only person opposed to good roads is the fellow who believes that we will soon be selling our automobiles and buggies and buying flying machines.—Charlotte News.

Raleigh is elated—and has cause to be—over the appointment of Hon. James Bryce, the English Ambassador, to address the State Historical and Literary Society at an early day in next November. We congratulate the Capital City.—Greensboro News. (Rep.)

An Asheville dispatch in yesterday's Observer made it seem likely that the Southern Methodists will have a summer resort near Black Mountain, where the Southern Presbyterians and the Southern Baptists are now encamped. We trust that all three will play in each other's yards a good deal and otherwise show themselves as neighborly as possible.—Charlotte Observer.

The man who can run a newspaper to suit everybody has gone to heaven long ago, says The Laurens, S. C., Advertiser. Nat so; for any man who tries it will lose what religion he may have and all chances of ever getting to heaven. Those newspaper men now in heaven were from among the ones who conducted their papers to suit themselves and did not bother about the kickers.—Charlotte Observer.

The Women's Club is launching a campaign against the smoke nuisance in Charlote—against the factories and mills in the suburbs and the big office buildings, hotels and manufacturing plants in the city. There is no doubt that these consumers of soft coal are giving Charlotte a sooty appearance and it is claimed that this nuisance could be abated entirely by the use of the new devices for consuming smoke. The suburban town of Concord has put an anti-smake ordinance into effect, but people there, under proper atmospheric conditions, can locate Charlotte by the cloud of smoke that rises over it. The anti-smoke crusade is being waged in all the more progressive cities of the country and the only criticism of Charlotte is that it is so late in falling into line. The Women's Club is setting in to make Charlotte a smokeless city and what it sets its mind to doing, it generally does.—Charlotte Chronicle.

In the first nine months of the present calendar year $21,000,000 worth of cotton mill equipment has been added in the South, embracing 834,428 spindles and 16,488 looms. These additions, says the Manufacturers' Record were largely made in existing mills, although a considerable number of new mills are in course of construction. When old mills in the South strive to increase their capacity and profit-earning power new mills will be built, for the course of the mills shows there is profit to be found in the spinning and weaving of the staple. The Southern mills possess unmistakable advantages over either the New England mill or the foreign mill, and the time will surely come when the greater part of the American crop will be spun amid the cotton fields and the foreign mills will get their material in the shape of yarns. One county in North Carolina, Gaston, contains 48 mills. That county lies on the South Carolina line next west of the county that contains Charlotte. Up to the present time in this calendar year North Carolina has built 31 new cotton mills.—Goldsboro Argus.

The whole country would be better off if it would follow Mr. Vanderbilt's policy on his vast estate at Biltmore. There the first wealth of 130,000 acres is both producing and growing. By selection there are cut every year 4,000,000 feet of lumber, 5,000 cords of acid wood and fuel, 1,000 cords of tanbark, and several hundred cords of pulp wood. At the same time, it is stated by the Forest Service Bureau, the forest is steadily increasing in value. It is guarded against fire as no other tract in the United States is guarded. Every workman employed is a fire guard. And there are permanent logging roads built; not rough roads to meet a Winter emergency, but roads laid out to serve the systematic use of the forest. These roads not only lessen the present cost of transportation, but they reduce the cost of marketing future crops. In fact, this great forest tract is used for profit and for perpetuation. It need hardly be said that these wide wood roads are useful as fire breaks. Moreover, forest planting is practiced wherever it is practicable.—Greensboro Record.

TWINKLINGS.

Laffan—You are rich enough to buy an automobile. Why don't you do it? Grofat—Because I'm not rich enough to own one.—Chicago Tribune.

"Remember, son," said Uncle Eben, "you mus' have judgment as well as enthusiasm. Good intentions is responsible for some ob de worst singin' in de choir."—Washington Star.

"I fired Brown this morning. He was incompetent." Later Brown was heard to say: "I resigned my position with Green this morning. His business methods—" Detroit Free Press.

The One—I married at the age of 21. It was a case of "Marry in haste and repent at leisure." The Other—I didn't marry until I was 40—and it was a case of "marry at leisure and repent in haste."—Chicago Daily News.

"This is your son's third year at college, isn't it?" "Yes, and he is doing really splendid work." "Mental or athletic?" "Why, he poses for all these pictures of perfectly dressed young men in the clothing manufacturers' circulars"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

One of the justifications for the way a girl makes a fool of a man is he never dreams it.—New York Press.

Excited Fisherman (to country hotelkeeper)—There ain't a bit of fishing about here! Every brook has a sign warning people off. What do you mean by luring people here with the promise of fine fishing? Hotelkeeper—I didn't say anything about fine fishing. If you read my advertisement carefully you will see that what I said was "Fishing Unapproachable."—Tit-Bits.

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THE "GREAT WHITE WAY"

Board of Audit and Finance Concur in Proposition to Illuminate Front Street—Other Matters Considered.

The "Great White Way," of which there has been much said and written during the past few days, is now an absolute certainty. The Board of Audit and Finance in regular semi-monthly session last night concurred in the action of the Board of Aldermen in authorizing Charman Stone, of the Light Committee, to make arrangements to illuminate permanently Front street, from Grace to Orange. This means that the lights installed by the central committee of the Taft celebration will be retained until June of next year.

The meeting was called to order at 8 o'clock with Chairman M. J. Heyer presiding and all members of the board present except Mr. H. C. McQueen. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Capt. T. D. Meares, the clerk, and were approved.

A communication was read from the Board of Aldermen relative to the action of that body in special session Monday afternoon in releasing Mr. S. A. Schloss from four months' rent on the opera house to October 1st, months the building was undergoing repairs, and allowing him $850 on his contract, the amount to be deducted from the rent of the playhouse. As was stated yesterday morning in the report of the meeting of the Aldermen that Mr. Schloss expended something over $2,700 more in improving the opera house than he agreed to and the building committee of the Board of Aldermen thought it no more than right that the city should reimburse him for a portion of the additional expense. The members of the Board of Audit and Finance took the same view and concurred in the action of the Aldermen. In this connection Mr. Heyer stated that he attended a show at the new playhouse a few nights ago and that the opera house was certainly one that theatre-goers should feel proud of. Mr. Heyer returned only a few days ago from New York, where he attended several attractions and he stated that for the same class of shows there was not a playhouse in New York superior to the one in Wilmington.

The "Great White Way."

Alderman Stone, chairman of the Light Committee, was present and explained to the board his scheme to illuminate the business section of Front street. He said that he had considered the matter of lighting the principal business streets of the city ever since he was made chairman of the Light Committee. Some time ago he secured figures from the Tidewater Power Company as to the cost of installing arches of Tungsten lights on Front street. He considered that the cost of installation was prohibitory and did not press the matter. After the Taft committee decided to illuminate Front street he learned that the installation of the lights would cost the city nothing, the power company agreeing to make a donation of $500 for the work and the Taft committee would pay the remaining $500. The lights could be maintained from now until the close of the fiscal year for about $800. Mr. Stone considered this one of the best ways of advertising a city and felt that the city would get great returns from the expenditure. He made it plain to the board that he had no interest at stake save the advertisement of the city, stating that he did not own any property on the street that would be lighted. He asked that the board agree to grant him $500 in excess of the amount appropriated to the Light Committee for the year. He stated that it would not take over $500. Mr. Stone read a communication from the Chamber of Commerce in which that body endorsed the proposition. It is probable that later Princess street, from Third to the river, and Market from Third to the river, will be lighted like it is proposed to light Front street.

Mr Tiencken said that Front street now has double the light it used to have and more than any other section of the city, and the business houses close at 6 o'clock in the evening. He thought that any additional money should be spent for lights where they are badly needed. He admitted that the lights would be a good advertisement for the city, but he thought that necessities should come before luxuries. There are some parts of the city, he said, that are so poorly lighted that it is unsafe for women and children at night. He said that he would be compelled to vote against the proposition.

Chairman Heyer put the question; Mr. Wilder voted "aye and Mr. Tiencken "naye," and Mr. Cooper, who had not fully made up his mind, asked that the voting be stopped a few minutes while he attempted to effect a compromise. He suggested to Mr. Stone to get the Taft committee to increase the amount it proposes to give to $750 and stated that he would become personally responsible for the other $250 which Mr. Stone asked for. Mr. Cooper's idea was to secure the $250 from business men residing on the street, himself giving a large portion of the amount. Mr. Stone did not think favorable of this proposition. The question was then put to a vote again. Mr. Wilder and Mr. Tiencken voted as before, and Mr. Cooper did not vote either way. Mr. Heyer cast the deciding vote in favor of the "Great White Way."

A communication was read from the City Clerk and Treasurer, Mr. J. J. Fowler, announcing that he had employed Mr. W. H. Northrop, Jr., as tax collector, having commenced his work October 11th.

The bid of Mr. J. W. H. Fuchs to furnish the Winter uniforms for the police came up from the Police and Fire Commission. The clerk was instructed to refer the matter back to Chairman W. E. Springer, of the Police and Fire Commission, with the statement that the bid must first receive the approval of the Board of Aldermen.

The action of the Board of Aldermen in requiring that all bills for the Taft Day celebration, which are to be the city must be approved by the finance committee of the Board of Aldermen was concurred in. The board also concurred in the action of the Board of Aldermen in allowing Herbert McClammy, Esq., $100 for defending Chief of Police N. J. Williams in a suit for damages for alleged false arrest brought against him some time ago.

FARMERS' MEETINGS.

Congressman Godwin Has Arranged For Meetings in District.

Congressman H. L. Godwin has arranged for the following farmers' meetings in his district:

Town Creek, Monday, Oct. 25th, 11 o'clock A. M.

Supply, Monday, Oct. 25th, 8 o'clock P. M.

Shallotte, Tuesday, Oct. 26th, 11 o'clock A. M.

Ash, Wednesday, Oct. 27th, 11 o'clock A. M.

Old Dock, Thursday, Oct. 28th, 11 o'clock A. M.

Whiteville, Friday, Oct. 29th, 11 o'clock A. M.

Clarkton, Friday, Oct. 29th, 8 o'clock P. M.

Elizabethtown, Saturday, Oct. 30th, 11 o'clock A. M.

These meetings will be addressed by Mr. C. R. Hudson, State agent of the Farmers' Co-operative Demonstration Work of the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.; Mr. T. B. Parker, director of the Farmers' Institute Work, Raleigh, N. C.; Prof. C. P. Williams, director of the experiment station, and Congressman Godwin.

LAYING OF CORNER STONE

Solemn and Imposing Ceremony Tomorrow Afternoon—The Bishop.

Solemn and most impressive ceremonies tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at Fifth and Ann streets will mark the laying of the corner stone of the handsome new church being erected by the congregation of St. Thomas Catholic Church and which will require a year or more yet for its completion. Attractive invitations to the ceremonies have been issued but all friends will be welcomed. The ceremony will be presided over by Rt. Rev. Leo Haid, O. S. B., of Belmont, and quite a large number of visiting priests and others will be here to take part in the service. The Knights of Columbus, of this city and perhaps delegations from other councils in this and other States will be present. The Wilmington council is called to assemble at its hall tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of attending the ceremonies in a body.

THE WINTER PRACTICE.

Getty Begins Sea Trailing—Quartermaster's Department.

The steamer Gen. G. W. Getty, of the Quartermaster's Department of Fort Caswell, has begun her regular Winter practice and makes regular sea trailings each morning. Within a short time the Getty will begin laying mines and carrying on other practices of this department of the service.

This is the first Fall that the government has stationed a boat at Caswell for this purpose, as will be recalled, the trailing and other practices having been done by the steamer Madeleine, the market boat, last Winter.

CAPT. HANCOCK COMMANDING.

Temporary Change at Fort Caswell. Col. Ludlow on Leave.

During the absence of Col. Ludlow, who was recently granted a furlough, Capt. Hancock is temporarily in command at Fort Caswell, having assumed charge in this capacity soon after the former left for a stay abroad.

Capt. Hancock came to the city yesterday on a special trip of the steamer Gen. G. W. Getty and was a guest at the home of Mr. James Sprunt. Col. Ludlow will be away some three months.

James Cox Gives Bond.

The Kinston Free Press Monday afternoon had the following to say regarding the charges against James Cox, young white man, arrested here Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Piver: "Deputy Sheriff George Gray returned this morning from Wilmington with James Cox in custody. Cox was arrested by the Wilmington officers on a warrant sent from this city on a charge of assaulting his wife. About two weeks ago, it is alleged Cox struck his wife and fired his pistol and threatened her life. He claims to have fired the pistol at a cat and claims that it was not a serious breach of the peace. Cox gave bond for his appearance at the Superior Court."

CURES REMOVE DOUBT ABOUT ECZEMA CURE.

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SCHOOL CHILDREN FORM FLAG

New Feature of Taft Celebration Announced Yesterday—More Than 2,000 School Children Will Take Part.

It was announced in the graded schools of the city yesterday morning that on the day of the Taft celebration a United States flag would be formed by more than 2,000 of the pupils of the schools. This idea was conceived by Mr. J. J. Blair, superintendent, and received the hearty approval of the central committee. This will undoubtedly prove one of the features of the day.

The slope of the hill on Market, between Third and Fourth streets, will be the scene of the formation of the flag of school children. There will be 750 children from Hemenway, over 1,000 from Union, and about 300 from the High school. The colors of the Nation's emblem will be represented by the dress of the pupils with the boys in red, while the pupils from the High School will form the blue back ground. White hats, worn by young lady teachers at proper intervals in the lines will represent the stars in the flag.

This feature of the celebration will take place early in the morning, just after the President has breakfasted at the residence of Mr. James Sprunt, on South Front street. The line of march will be by the living flag on Market street, the procession passing along the north side of the street, while the school children will be on the south side. Several National songs will probably be rendered by the children while the parade is passing. All the children will be well trained before the date of the President's visit as rehearsals will be started at once.

It is expected that this will prove one of the most interesting as well as unique features of the big celebration.

ROMANTIC MARRIAGE.

Young Woman Comes Here From Rhode Island to Wed.

A romantic marriage was celebrated at St. Thomas' Catholic Church at 6:30 o'clock last evening, when Miss Margaret Hoxkton, an attractive and accomplished young lady of Newport, R. I., became the bride of Mr. John Fraser, formerly of Newport, but now stationed at Fort Caswell with the Coast Artillery Corps, the ceremony being performed by Father Gallagher. Mr. and Mrs. Fraser are guests at the Colonial Inn and will remain in the city until Thursday when they leave for the Fort.

Mr. Fraser is a native of Scotland and his bride a native of Ireland. For years they both resided in Newport and in the Rhode Island city there was formed between them an attachment that culminated yesterday in their marriage. The bride arrived here yesterday morning from her faraway home in Rhode Island and went to the Colonial Inn. At the hour named the couple took carriages for the Catholic church where the ceremony was performed.

Mr. Fraser is one of the most capable and popular of Uncle Sam's men at Fort Caswell, where he has been stationed since last December. He has a large number of friends in Wilmington who will extend to him their heartiest congratulations. His bride is a most attractive young woman and will be warmly welcomed to the fort and this section of the State.

PROMPT ACTION OF MOTORMAN

Saved the Life of Lad Near Fourth and Campbell Streets.

Jack Branch, eight years old, who is visiting at the home of Mr. J. J. Jackson, 209 Harnett street, came near having his life crushed out under the wheels of a street car at corner of Fourth and Campbell streets yesterday morning. The lad, whose home is at Bolton, was playing near the intersection of the streets with several young friends. The youngster was oblivious of the approach of the car from Fourth street and ran on the track, directly in front of the rapidly moving car. It was impossible to stop the car in time to prevent contact with the lad. Motorman Lassiter dropped the fender and the lad was caught up just in time. The car was soon brought to a standstill and Dr. J. C. Wessell summoned. The boy was rather painfully bruised, but received no serious injuries.

NEW APPARATUS ARRIVES

Combination Hose and Chemical Wagon For Fire-Fighters.

The fire department has received the new Kanawha combination hose and chemical wagon for the station at corner of Sixth and Castle streets and the apparatus will be ready for service within a few days. This wagon is in exchange for a lighter one shipped back to the factory by the department some time ago. The new apparatus is a two-horse cart and weighs $2,700 pounds light and 3,500 pounds fully equipped. It has a capacity for carrying 500 feet of fire hose and 200 feet of chemical hose, and has one large tank which is operated by means of compressed air. The fire-fighters at the Sixth and Castle station are proud of their new apparatus, which adds to the equipment of the fire department.

Will Attend Notable Meeting.

Yesterday's Greensboro Telegram has the following which will be read with interest here: "Mr. James S. Hooper, of Wilmington, Deputy Supreme Regent of the Royal Arcanum, was here yesterday on his way to Yorktown, Va., to attend the annual meeting of the Society of the Descendants of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence of the United States. Mr. Hooper is a direct descendant of William Hooper, one of the signers. There is a monument to William Hooper at Guilford Battle Ground."

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The Theatre

Tonight the Academy will offer one of the notable attractions of fascination. It will be Mr. Norman Hackett, the distinguished young American actor, in the late Richard Mansfield's big success, "Beau Brummel," and which is from the pen of the late Clyde Fitch. It might also be added as further evidence of the merits of the attraction, that the company is under the management of Mr. Jules Murry.

Indications point to a large and fashionable audience and seats went on sale for the event yesterday at the Crystal Palace. Since the announcement several weeks ago that Mr. Hackett would be seen at the Academy in "Beau Brummel," theatre goers have taken deep itnerest in his appearance this season. The production being given the noted play has been described as a really brilliant one, while the cast is made up of stars, and the attraction in its entirety, and as to its different vital parts, has been highly praised.

The Richmond papers Saturday lavished praise upon the attraction and the Norfolk papers of Sunday followed this strong lead. Sunday's Norfolk Landmark paid Mr. Hackett this handsome tribute:

"When the late Richard Mansfield passed away the world agreed with one accord that there was none left to

NOMAN HACKETT
Distinguished Actor at the Academy of Music Tonight.

take his place in the histrionic work of which he was the greatest exponent, and in the main the world was right.

"Men come and go, and when great men die the expression is heard "that there are none left to take their place." This is sometimes true, but in the case of Richard Mansfield there is an exception, insofar as the portrayal of the great character of "Beau Brummel" is concerned, for upon the shoulders of Norman Hackett the mantel of the great Mansfield in that character has fallen most gracefully. This much is said in all fairness, and it is but faint praise to Mr. Hackett to make a declaration, for his portrayal of "Beau Brummel" at the Academy last night was as good, and if possible even better than his great predecessor. Certainly that was the opinion of all who witnessed his impersonation of the character last night. More might be said in justification if space permitted. Besides, his support was excellent and everybody enjoyed the performance."

B. C. Whitney Attractions.

Theaters and stage folk, these days of early Autumn, are issuing forth, resplendent, from the long Summer of rest and oblivion. These are indeed bustling times in the theatrical profession. Everywhere plays and musical comedies, new and old, are being rehearsed and refurbished. Mr. Theater-Goer demands that he have his evening's dramatic entertainment when he wants it. The season is open.

The B. C. Whitney offices announce four large attractions, all of which are either already on or will soon be launched upon the road. They are "Miss Idlewild," "A Knight for a Day," "The Show Girl" and "The Isle of Spice."

A season or two of uninterrupted

these attractions. This month they are sallying forth rejuvenated in new scenery, new costumes, new music and songs and new dances. The usual high standard of Whitney productions promises to be sustained. "Miss Idlewild" is a brand new musical comedy, fresh from the pens, or typewriters, of the well known librettists, Bert St. John and Kirk Alexander. It is said to be a brilliant satire upon the social and political problems of the American people.

With its novel scenery, cast of 50 people and general lavishness, it is the most pretentious production ever put forth by the Whitney offices. The predecessors, the A. K. Pearson Co Inc., by special arrangement with B. C. Whitney, give "Miss Idlewild" her premier on September 30th.

"Servant in the House."

Special announcement is made from New York that Charles Rann Kennedy's wonderful and widely discussed play, "The Servant in the House," is to go upon tour. Arrangements have been made to present it in this city on November 9th and 10th. Local patrons of the drama will then have an opportunity to see and discuss what has been declared to be the most widely talked and written about play, ever presented in America. It is a remarkable play, that is sure, and its appearance here is awaited with considerable interest. An exceptional roster of talented players is announced to appear in it.

Fine Bill at the Palace.

This week's bill at the Crystal Palace is truly a delightful one and is in every way the equal of the one of last week, which at the time was pronounced to be the best of the season. The present bill, however, is entirely different as to the character of the acts, which gives attractive variety. In passing, it might also be stated that the Palace management appears to be "making good" with its claim of better and more costly vaudeville.

Each act on the present bill is a star one, but the dainty, pretty, graceful O'Connor Sisters are probably the favorites. Their act has made a big hit and the charming lasses are compelled to respond to several curtain falls at the conclusion of their act. Miss Flossie LaVan is also proving quite a favorite and she has a brilliant repertoire of stylish gowns, which in themselves are proving decidedly attractive to the ladies. The other acts are of fine type and cause merriment to bubble over at the Palace.

At the Bijou Today.

"Little Sister" is the title of the feature picture that will be shown at the Bijou theatre today. Every great city has some particular section that stands out clear and distinct from all others because of the peculiar characteristics of its denizens in their daily walks of life. London has her West End, Paris her Latin Quarter and New York her East Side. It is from the latter that the material for this silent drama was drawn, and the life and habits of the denizens of the East Side tenement district is correctly pictured. The picture will be seen with interest by all the patrons of the little theatre.

BAND BENEFIT CONCERT.

Big Event Being Arranged for the Latter Part of November.

Arrangements are being perfected for a big benefit concert to be given in the Academy of Music the latter part of November under the auspices of the North Carolina Musical Association, which has as its main object an up-to-date band for Wilmington. The programme will include selections from the Wilmington band and solos, duets and quartette by well known local musicians. It is probable that the band at Fort Caswell will assist in the concert. The Wilmington band is holding regular practices and fine progress is being made.

Receives Concert Accordeon.

Justice G. W. Bornemann, master of the accordeon, yesterday morning received a new concert accordeon of the Hohner make which took the gold medal at the World's Fair in St. Louis in 1904. The instrument was "made in Germany," and is one of the best on the market. Justice Bornemann has, delighted and thrilled many an audience with his old instruments and lovers of accordeon music will be glad to know that he has received an instrument especially adapted for concert work.

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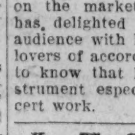

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IN SOCIETY

Miss Daisy McIver left Sunday for Raleigh, where she will attend the State Fair.

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Miss Olivia Horne, who has been visiting the Misses Foreman, at Phoebus, Va., returned home during the past week.

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Messrs. "Jack" Bellamy and Roger Moore left yesterday for Raleigh, N. C., where this week they will attend the State Fair.

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Miss Mazie Cox, of Jacksonville, Fla., is the attractive guest of her cousin, Mrs. W. F. Robertson, 1701 Princess street.

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Mrs. S. A. Schloss and Miss Viola Bear left last evening for New York where they will spend three weeks or more with friends and relatives.

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Mrs. William E. Worth, who has been spending the Summer at Cumberland Gap, Md., and in Brooklyn, N. Y., more recently, returned to the city last evening for the Winter.

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Mrs. Thomas R. Post, who has been spending the past several months visiting in Baltimore, Atlantic City and other places of interest in the North, returned home last evening.

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer says: "Miss Margaret Bridgers, of Wilmington, is the guest of Miss Louise Wadsworth on North Church street. Miss Bridgers will spend several weeks with friends in Charlotte."

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Mrs. J. A. Fore, of Charlotte, left yesterday afternoon for her home accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Roger Moore. From Charlotte Mrs. Moore will go to Greenville, S. C., to spend a month with her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Mills.

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Mrs. Arthur Einstein, formerly Miss Alice Fishblate, has arrived in Wilmington to make her future home. Mr. Einstein will arrive in a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Einstein will reside at "Carolina Apartments." Miss Hazel Einstein, of Kinston, has also arrived to make her home in this city with other members of the family.

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A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of Cape Fear Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, was held yesterday afternoon with the president, Mrs. Wm. Parsley, presiding, and the recording secretary, Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, at her place. Reports were received from the various committees which had in charge the arrangements for the State Convention held last week. The chapter voted unanimously to write notes of thanks to those who aided in making the convention the grand success it was. The laurel wreath committee for the month was named as follows: Mrs. Wm. L. DeRosset, Mrs. J. H. Boatwright and Miss Alice Davis.

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RALEIGH YOUNG PEOPLE ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 18—The engagement of Mr. John H. Andrews and Miss Mabel Young was announced today at a brilliant luncheon at which Miss Margaret Boylan was the hostess, the wedding to be late in November. Mr. Andrews is a son of Col. A. B. Andrews, vice president of the Southern Railway, being himself prominent in the service of the company as traveling freight agent. Miss Young is a daughter of Hon. J. H. Young, State Commissioner of Insurance, and is one of the most beautiful, popular and widely known young women in North Carolina society.

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Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 19.—The following additional marshals have been announced by Chief Marshal N. H. McGeachy, of the State Fair: Major A. Pilston Godwin, Gatesville; Capt. C. M. Faircloth, Clinton; R. D. Vanderford, Nashville; J. H. Roberts, Creedmoor; Dr. John A. Fusell, Kenansville; W. D. Tomlinson, Clayton; B. G. Cowper, Raleigh; V. C. Tompkins, Raleigh; J. E. Johnson, Jr., Raleigh; J. R. Haven, Atkinson; J. D. Barhouse, Clayton; F. F. Dickson, Orbit; Col. J. S. Cunningham, Cunningham; C. B. Denson, Raleigh; Shell Jones, Raleigh; J. G. Williams, Red Springs; J. H. Hightower, Fayetteville; B. W. Jennings, Halifax; J. Corbett, Ivanhoe; R. G. Ball, Raleigh; Dr. J. J. Barefoot, Raleigh.

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Many Wilmington friends will read with interest the following from a recent issue of a Tallahassee, Fla., paper: "Mrs. H. C. Zachary announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Onie, to Major Alexander Kinchen Powers, of Burgaw, North Carolina. The wedding will take place in Tallahassee in December." The Pender Chronicle, of Burgaw, where the prospective groom now resides, in its issue the past week, says: "Miss Zachary, who was here on a visit to school mates last Summer, is very pleasantly remembered by a large circle of friends. She is a graduate of St. Mary's, Raleigh, was several years at Durham Conservatory and is a young lady of rare accomplishments. Major Powers, since his graduation at Wake Forest College, has practiced his profession both here and in Jacksonville, Fla. He has a happy way of making friends and enjoys a large number, who congratulate him on his success and good judgment."

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THE DICKINSON-GORE MARRIAGE THIS EVENING.

One of the social events of the season will be the marriage in St. James' Episcopal Church at 6 o'clock this evening of Miss Thurber Gore, popular and attractive daughter of Mr. and Mr. Cuthbert Martin, to Mr. C. Earle Dickinson. The church has been most artistically decorated for the event which will be attended by a large number of the relatives and friends of the young couple. Monday evening the prospective groom gave a theatre party at the "Merchant of Venice" at the Academy of Music. Those in the party were Mr. C. Earle Dickinson and Miss Thurber Gore; Mrs. O. K. LaRoque, of Marion, S. C.; Messrs. Waddell, Watters, Joe Jacobs, "Jack" Dickinson, Milton Gore, George Adams, Joe DeHay, Will I. Gore, George Lynch, of Jacksonville, Fla.; Misses Louise Beery, Bessie Gore, Nannie Watters, Sue Anderson, Ocala, Fla. After the show the party was most delightfully entertained by Miss Louise Beery at her home, corner Fourth and Market streets. The colors were yellow and white, the color scheme of the wedding. In the centre of the table there was a miniature airship from which were suspended little white satin bags of rice to which were attached place cards, heart-shaped and hand painted. Dainty refreshments were served and a most pleasant time was had by all. The bridal party was entertained last night at the home of the bride, on South Front street, after the rehearsal at the church. The decorations were of yellow and white and the scheme was admirably carried out. On a table in the parlor was a pyramid of snowballs and in the centre of the different snowball were the thimble, bodkin, ring and sixpence. The event proved a most thoroughly enjoyable affair for all present.

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PRETTY HOME WEDDING SOLEMNIZED YESTERDAY.

A pretty home wedding, beautiful in its simplicity, was solemnized at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Banck, 108 Red Cross street, when their popular and attractive daughter, Miss Anna Lucile Banck, became the bride of Mr. B. Elbert Edwards, formerly of Oxford, N. C., but for several years past a resident of Wilmington. Conforming to the wishes of the bride and groom there were present only a few relatives and friends. The impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church. The altar was beautifully decorated with palms and bamboo with a back ground of white carnations. The Banck home was most artistically decorated throughout.

The bride was attended by Miss Louise Vollers as maid of honor. The bridal party entered the parlor to the strains of Lohengrin's Bridal Chorus beautifully rendered by Miss Katherine Gieschen and during the ceremony she played sweetly and softly, "Remember Me." Mendelssohn's Wedding March was played as the recessional. The bride wore a traveling suit of dark blue broadcloth with hat and gloves to match and carried a bouquet of maiden hair fern and carnations. The maid of honor was becomingly gowned in pale blue messaline and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums.

Following the ceremony there was a reception to the bridal party and after that the happiest congratulations and best wishes of many friends had been extended the couple went to to the union station, where they took the 7 o'clock train for a trip to the mountains of West Virginia. They will be away about ten days and upon their return to Wilmington will reside at 412 North Front street.

There were many beautiful and costly presents, which attested in a measure the popularity of the couple. These were tastefully arranged in the beautifully decorated dining room. The bride is a most popular and attractive young lady and has a wide circle of friends, while the groom holds a responsible position in the Transportation Department of the Atlantic Coast Line and has a large number of friends in Wilmington and elsewhere.

IMPORTANT TO MARINERS.

New Range Lights in About a Month. Will Replace Buoys.

The Star published on Sunday an important notice with reference to the defective gas buoy on the tail of Frying Pan Shoals, and also the remarks of the Lighthouse Board respecting the bar ranges that were out of line.

In further answer to urgent appeals for immediate attention, Mr. Sprunt, the chairman, has received the following from Captain Hetherington, inspector of the Sixth District, at Charleston:

"Replying to yours of the 16th inst., I regret to say that it is impossible to set any definite date when the new range lights can be completed. The tender has been at the Washington Navy Yard for over two months. It is hoped that the work on her will be completed this week. Then she goes to Staten Island for stores, and returns here. It is expected that immediately upon her return she will be docked at the Charleston Navy Yard, and immediately afterwards will go to Cape Fear entrance to build the new lights and replace the buoys in the channel on the bar.

"I have improvised a small crew for the old Wisteria, and expect to send her up this week to replace No. 3 buoy and to refill the gas buoy, which is as much as she can do with her force.

"I wish that I could do more, but I am practically tied up by the prolonged absence of the Cypress. I wish to do this work not only on account of the interests in Wilmington, but because my pride rebels against having such conditions exist in my district. If everything works as I expect, the new lights should be ready in about one month."

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Joseph T. Foy and wife to Robert R. Bellamy, for $5,500, two lots, one on north side of Market, 46 feet and 1 3-4 inches west of Front street, 16 feet and 1 3-4 inches by 66 feet and 10 inches in size; and the other 46 feet 1 3-4 inches west of Front street and 67 feet north of Market street, being five feet by 26 feet and four inches in size. W. E. Perdew, of Wilmington, and J. C. McMillan, Jr., of Teachey's, Duplin county, to the Wilmington Shoe Co., for $10 and other considerations, lots five and six in block 23, "Carolina Place," each fronting 33 feet on east side of Wrightsville avenue and having a depth of 113 feet.

Frightful Fate Averted.

"I would have bee na cripple for life, from a terrible cut on my knee cap," writes Frank Disberry, Kellihee Minn., without Bucklen's Arnica Salve which soon cured me." Infallible for wounds, cuts and bruises, it soon cures Burns, Scalds, Old Sores, Boils, Skin Eruptions. World's best for Piles. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—H. P. Woodson, of Burgaw, and Mrs. H. L. Landers, of Fort Caswell were among yesterday's guests at the Colonial Inn.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at the Colonial Inn were H. P. Woodson, Burgaw; W. B. McNeal, Burgaw and N. Y. Beverson, Castle Haynes.

—G. W. Lennon, Lumberton; J. F. Lucas, Currie; J. H. Thomas, Maxton; J. A. Cavenaugh, Wallace, and A. B. Matthews, Sanford, were among yesterday's guests at The Southern.

—Mr. S. A. Barber, of Bolton, N. C., Spent yesterday in the city. He is now with the Waccamaw Lumber Company and speaks interestingly of the extensive improvements there.

—Among the guests at The Orton yesterday were: W. C. Via, Wadesboro; C. W. Munger and H. S. Owens, Newbern; C. D. Chappell, Columbia, S. C.; H. J. Gilbert, Savannah, Ga.; J. G. Shannon, Whiteville; J. E. Burges, Charlotte.

—Dr. Russell Bellamy returned a few days ago from Asheville, where he attended the good roads congress. Dr. Bellamy addressed the convention and told interestingly of what has been accomplished in the way of building good roads in New Hanover county.

LOCAL DOTS.

—In the quotations of naval stores in yesterday's paper, rosin should have been $3.60 instead of $3.65.

—First Church of Christ, Scientist, Market and 17th streets. Services tonight at 8:15. All are invited.

—The will of the late Mr. Samuel Northrop was probated in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court yesterday. Mr. R. H. Northrop is named as the executor of the estate.

—A permit was issued from the office of Building Inspector H. E. Bonitz yesterday to I. Goldstein to erect a two-room addition, two stories high, to his store building at Nos. 17 South Second street. The estimated cost is $800.

—A class in vocal music will be organized Thursday night in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. The men of the city, whether members of the Association or not, are given a cordial invitation to attend the meeting. A competent instructor has been employed for the class.

—"A Fool and His Money" was seen at the Academy of Music last night by a small audience. The attraction was rather disappointing, but the scattering audience probably had much to do with the manner in which the play was rendered.

—The Raleigh News and Observer of yesterday speaks in the highest terms of the production by Norman Hackett and his company in the capital city Monday night. It is pronounced one of the best road attractions witnessed down this way in a long time and the hope is expressed that Wilmington theatre-goers will attend.

—Mary Turner, colored, brought a civil action in Justice Borneman's court yesterday against John McKoy, colored, for the recovery of a deed to a piece of property. The document was given to McKoy for safekeeping by a sister of the Turner woman, while on her death bed. McKoy testified that he was ready and willing to turn over the deed and that he was merely waiting to find out to whom it should deliver it. The deed was turned over to the Turner woman, who paid the costs.

"LIGHT ON THE SUBJECT."

Some Very Pertinent Remarks as to Street Illumination.

(Communicated.)

It is given out that the city fathers, acting upon a suggestion, have decided to start the system of greater illumination for Front street at Grace, and extend it to Orange, instead of commencing at the depot and going to Market as originally proposed, thus "making light" of the territory lying between Red Cross and Grace without actually giving it this facility. And the reason assigned for the change is that "there are comparatively few business houses north of Grace."

Leaving aside the fact that the dark area thus agreed upon is the main approach to the city from the stranger's viewpoint, and the throat of the retail business section; and, that the block between Grace and Walnut is undoubtedly one of the darkest on Front street, owing to the trees, it looks like a couple of businesses included within that portion of the street consigned to darkness either stand for little in the estimation of those advocating the change, or else, to take a charitable view, escaped their attention. Frankly, though, we'd hate to think of Wilmington without those two institutions—the firm of Messrs. Sprunt & Sons, and the plant of the Atlantic Coast Line.

We do not qualify as a pedant or censor, and there may be very good reasons for the change which have not as yet been given to the public. We do know, however, 99 per cent. of the strangers entering our gates are passengers discharged at the Union depot, and the lights leading to the main business part of the city would be a beacon to guide their footsteps, as well as an advertisement of a progressive up-to-date place.

The President will leave the city via the dark area, but maybe, after all, he won't hold this against us when he (as well as the many visitors and strangers that are to follow) has an opportunity open to broaden his Wilmington education by a sightseeing trip through the lighted district, as extended, including the domestic life of the Shibleys in our own "Little Italy," the stands of the vegetable and fish carts, with their contemporary odors, and the celebrated Racket Store Alley.

It is impossible to light up each individual business house, and we have yet to hear of the wharf merchants howling because they won't come in for some of the illumination. Rather than have the main gateway of the city in Stygian darkness just to accommodate a small section where no night business is carried on, and little good to be accomplished by the change, best open the purse strings a little more and include in the lighting arrangements that portion of Front street as originally proposed.

"1910."

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WHITE MAN HEAVILY FINED.

Wm. Wilson Required to Pay $50 and Costs for Assault on Negro.

Wm. Wilson, a barber, was the principal defendant in yesterday's session of the Recorder's court. He was charged with an assault with deadly weapon upon Wm. Harris, colored, about midnight Monday night on Second, between Market and Dock streets. Harris was stabbed on the head and arm with a pair of shears the barber had in his pocket and the wounds were very painful and of such a serious nature that the negro had to be sent to the hospital for medical attention. As stated yesterday morning, the negro was later removed to the county jail. The estimony regarding the trouble was conflicting. The barber testified that he was looking for another barber in one of the store rooms on Second street and that he looked into a store where Harris was sitting. Harris asked him what he wanted and he replied with an oath that it was none of the negro's business. Whereupon the negro applied an oath that generally calls for a fight. Wilson stated that it was then that he assailed the negro. Harris testified that he was standing on the street talking to another man when Wilson came up; Wilson asked witness what he was talking about, and what he had to do with it; witness replied "Nothing." Then it was, according to the negro, that Wilson attacked him with the shears, stabbing him several times and then getting him down in an alley and was punching him good fashion when they were separated. One or two other negroes corroborated a portion of the negro's testimony.

The case against Harris was dismissed and Wilson was fined $50 and taxed with costs, which he paid yesterday afternoon.

John Redd, wanted for several months on the charge of selling whiskey to Lee Justice, who will be the main witness, was arrested early yesterday morning. At the request of the defendant the trial was continued until today. It will be recalled that a warrant was issued for Redd a few months ago on affidavit of Justice and that the defendant left town before the time set for the trial.

The case against James Merrick, colored, for assault with deadly weapon upon Lena McFarland, colored, with a knife, was continued until today, the wounded woman not being able to be in court.

MR. BONITZ AT HICKORY.

Grand Regent Makes Official Visitation to Royal Arcanum.

Hickory, Oct. 18.—Mr H. E. Bonitz, of Wilmington, State regent of the Royal Arcanum, was given a banquet at Hotel Huffey Friday night by the officers and members of the Catawba council. There were about 60 invited guests present. Mr. A. A. Whitener acted as toastmaster and informal speeches were made by several of the members. Mr. Bonitz then made a short address on the "Progress of the Royal Arcanum in North Carolina and Its Purpose." The local council, comprising some of Hickory's best citizens, is active in building up its already large membership, by means of such social features, which will be continued from time to time.

THE PAGE OF PRESIDENTS.

Will Appear in Few Days in the Morning Star.

Only a few spaces left for some live advertisers. Remember there will be a correct history of each President from Washington to Taft. These pages will be preserved for future reference—especially as there will be a correct picture and autograph of each President. This page gives an advertisement that pays. Join the contest and try to get one of the valuable watches displayed in the window of J. T. Burke, jeweler, 27 South Front street. There will be two or three questions to answer about the Presidents and an intentionally misspelled word to find in each advertisement on the page. Watch for the page and learn something about all the Presidents before Mr. Taft arrives.

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The War Department has taken steps to send the 36th company, coast artillery corps, now at Fort Moultrie, S. C., to Fort Dupont, Delaware, about November 10th.

SAVED HER OWN LIFE

Kentucky Lady's Statement of How She Saved Her Own Life by the Use of Cardui.

Lebanon Junction, Ky.—"I will with the greatest pleasure, tell you that I owe my life to Cardui," writes Mrs. Minnie Lamb, "for I believe I would have been dead by now, had it not been for Cardui. I took Cardui and Black-Draught for about 4 weeks. I haven't had one of those bad spells since I commenced to use your medicine.

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Cardui is a specific medicine for women—for the ills that only women suffer. It is regarded today as a dependable medicine, in thousands of homes, giving prompt relief to the suffering ones.

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MINISTERS' MEETING.

Committee Appointed to Prepare a New Constitution—Torrey Revival.

An interesting meeting of the Wilmington Ministers' Association was held Monday at the Y. M. C. A. at which time Dr. J. H. Foster, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, and Rev. W. H. Milton, D. D., pastor of St. James' parish, who have, recently, come to this field, were formally received by the association.

A conference was held on the conditions of the city churches and the religious needs of the city, and Dr. J. M. Wells, Dr. J. H. Foster, and Dr. W. H. Milton were appointed a committee to prepare a new constitution.

There was a full attendance at the meeting and much interest was manifested. It was decided to hold weekly meetings at the Y. M. C. A. each Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

The committee, which has in charge the arrangements for the Torrey meeting, which will be held here next March, have decided to defer action, in the way of making preparations, until after the Taft celebration. A meeting was set for October, at which time the ministers were to agree upon definite plans.

TILLMAN MAY COME.

Arrangements Being Made to Have Pitchfork Senator Here Soon.

If sufficient public interest is manifested in a series of subscriptions that will be offered to the people within the next few days, it is the purpose of the management of the Academy of Music to bring Senator B. R. Tillman, of South Carolina, here for a lecture on the evening of November 13th. The senior Senator from the sister State has many admirers here and an excellent opportunity is now offered them of seeing and hearing him. Mr. Tillman will speak at several places in North Carolina just prior to the opening of Congress in December and one of the points selected is Wilmington, if sufficient interest is shown in the contemplated appearance. Subscriptions to seats will be offered within the next few days and it is hoped that sufficient interest will be manifested to bring the Senator here, as a very large guarantee is required.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market steady 56 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady $3.60 per barrel.

TAR—Firm $1.80 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm $2.50 per barrel for hard; $4.00 for dip and $4.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30, tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $1.50, $2.00 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	10
Rosin	(—)
Tar	75
Crude turpentine	36

Receipts, same day last year 8 casks spirits turpentine; 68 barrels rosin; 87 barrels tar; 36 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 13 1-4 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Quiet, 8 3-4 cents.

Receipts—4,118 bales, same day last year 506 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith Oct. 16th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fancy 75@80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish $1.00 to $1.05.

CORN—Firm 90 to 95c per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 17@18c; shoulders 14@15c; sides 14@15c.

EGGS—Dull, 25 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Spring 20 to 30c grown 35 to 42 1-2c; scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 15c; green, 10c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 50c per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c., free of burr 24c.

GEESE—50 cents per head.

PORK—Small 10c per lb.; large, no demand.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

TURKEYS—12 1-2 to 13c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, Oct. 19.—The cotton market was very active again today and prices again made new high records but offerings once more proved too heavy to be withstood just under the 14c level, causing a reaction toward the close, which left the market barely steady at a net advance of 1 to 2 points.

The market opened steady at an advance of 3 to 9 points on better cables than expected, and reports of rain in the Southwest, but local professionals sold for a reaction on the initial advance and assisted by heavy realizing soon sent prices back to within 2 or 3 points of last night's close. Offerings were surprisingly well absorbed around 13.65 for December and 13.84 for May, by fresh buyers and brokers supposed to be operating for Patten interests and with Southern bulls aggressive, there was a rally, during the middle of the day which carried prices up to a net advance of 13 to 17 points with December selling at 13.80 and May at 13.97, the highest figures so far this season. Early sellers covered on this advance, but realizing sales becam heavier during the afternoon and renewed selling by reactionists sent prices off several points, December closing at 13.72 and May at 13.86 bid. The rains in Texas were not likely to interfere with the movement and possibly hurt the grade but seemed to be a less important factor than the reported firmness of interior markets and bullish expectations as to the ginners' report. Southern spot markets officially reported early were generally unchanged. The cold wave was said to be less threatening and less attention was paid to the tropical storm situation, which, however, has not entirely disappeared from market calculations.

Receipts at the ports today 114,325 bales against 102,064 last week and 104,537 last year; for the week 400,000 bales against 440,608 last week and 417,875 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 13,676 bales against 18,664 last year, and at Houston 15,627 bales against 41,122 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet 5 points higher; middling uplands 14.00; middling gulf 14.25; sales 800 bales. Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month	Open	Close
October	13.62	13.68
November	b13.60	13.68
December	13.72	13.72
January	13.80	13.77
February	13.79	13.79
March	13.89	13.85
April	13.85	13.85
May	13.92	13.88
June		13.82
July	13.87	13.80
August	b13.45	13.46
September	12.60	12.58

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 13 14-16; net receipts 32,220; stock 217,365.

New Orleans—Quiet and steady, 13 1-2; net receipts 13,447; stock 122,061.

Mobile—Firm, 13 9-16; net receipts 2,299; stock 36,866.

Savannah—Steady, 13 1-4; net receipts 2,604; stock 192,338.

Charleston—Firm, 13 1-4; net receipts 1,020; stock 34,962.

Wilmington—Quiet, 13 1-4; net receipts 4,118; stock 19,358.

Norfolk—Steady, 13 3-8; net receipts 10,519; stock 34,235.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13 3-4; stock 4,710.

New York—Quiet, 14; stock 78,148.

Boston—Quiet, 14.

Philadelphia—Steady, 14.25; stock 3,252.

Pensacola—Net receipts 6,770.

Port Arthur and Sabine Pass—Net receipts 17,653.

Georgetown—Net receipts 29.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 114,325; Great Britain 34,366; France 7,100; Continent 100,327; stock 743,260.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 250, 130; Great Britain 65,956; France 33,470; Continent 93,578.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 1,280,822; Great Britain 484,627; France 267,483; Continent 644,761; Japan 4,873; Mexico 3,497.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 13 5-8; net receipts 15,627; stock 78,355.

Augusta—Steady, 13 9-16; net receipts 5,149; stock 58,699.

Memphis—Firm, 13 3-4; net receipts 6,892; stock 100,401.

St. Louis—Steady, 13 3-4; net receipts 51; stock 12,168.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 524; stock 10,242.

Little Rock—Quiet, 13 1-8; net receipts 2,747; stock 26,511.

Louisville—Firm, 14.

Total today—Net receipts 30,990; gross receipts 37,216; shipments 26,413; sales 4,831; stock 286,376.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, Oct. 19.—Cotton: Spot in fair demand, prices 1 to 3 points higher. American middling fair 7.83; good middling 7.59; middling 7.47; low middling 7.37; good ordinary 7.11; ordinary 6.86. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 6,200 American. Receipts 51,000 bales including 39,400 American. Futures opened quiet and steady and closed steady. October 7.29; October and November 7.22 1-2; November and December 7.18 1-2; December and January 7.19; January and February 7.19; February and March 7.18 1-2; March and April 7.18 1-2; April and May 7.18 1-2 May and June 7 18 1-2; June and July 7.17 1-2; July and August 7.15; August and September 6.96; September and October 6.58; October and November 6.43.

Dick Bros.' Cotton Letter.

New York, Oct. 19.—The market opened at an advance of 10 points over previous closing, being influenced by Liverpool cables. At the opening there was heavy liquidation and the market declined to within a few points of previous closing. However, at this decline the market met with good support and advanced within 2 points of yesterday's level. Curtailment talk was much in evidence today.

Reports from Manchester, N. H., said that 15 cotton mills of the Amoskeag Mfg. Co., shut down last night until Monday, principally for the purpose of curtailment, but even at this the market showed no sign of weakness, which would tend to show that sentiment was bullish and believed in ultimately higher prices. It seems that the reactionists will have to find something else on which to force the market down. Reports from leading spot centers show an advance of about 1-8c, with offerings light. The export movement of cotton is heavy and the value of exports in September were nearly 50 per cent. greater than last year, due in a great measure to th high prices of cotton this year. The census report due the 25th giving the amount of cotton ginned up to October 18th is expected to show around 6,100,000 bales, which some of the trade may construe as bearish. If the figures of the report are as expected, we believe it will only mean that the crop has been gathered very rapidly and proves its shortness. We believe in higher prices and think cotton should be bought on any moderate reaction. DICK BROS. & CO.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Oct. 19.—The cotton goods market is very strong. Advances are announced in wide sheetings, staple prints and heavy brown goods. Yarns are higher and larger sales are reported. The export trade is quiet. Men's wear woolens are selling better. General retail trade is reported as improving.

MARKET GOSSIP.

New York, Oct. 19—The salient fact discernible in the stock market of today was the decrease of speculative interest. Doubtless the primary cause of this is the narrowing resources of the money market although the immediate tone of the market is easier in New York than was the case last week or the week before. There was a disposition to dwell a good deal on the assembling of Congress. The points of strength in the market was sporadic and they developed from time to time in an eccentric manner that made an explanation puzzling. Violent advances on small transactions in the express stocks were due to the advance in the dividend rate in United States Express. Rumors persisted of a coming combination of copper interests with some effect on copper securities. The Southern group of railroads felt the influence of the Hawley deal in Missouri, Kansas & Texas and mysterious intimations of a possible further scope for the plan involved in that deal. The sustaining influence of these movements was only temporary and prices ran off again, closing at about the lowest.

Bonds were easy, total sales, par value $3,270,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks today 835,300 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 19.—Money on call firm 4 to 4 1-2; ruling rate and closing bid 4, offered at 4 1-4. Time loans easier but very dull; sixty days and ninety days and 6 months 4 1-2 to 4 3-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5 to 5 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange strong with actual business in bankers' bill at 4.83 to 4.8310 for 60 day bills and at 4.8660 for demand. Commercial bills 4.82 1-2 to 4.82 7-8. Bar silver 51. Mexican dollars 43.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	100 5-8
U. S. ref. 2s, cou.	100 5-8
U. S. 3s, reg.	101 1-2
U. S. 3s, cou.	101 1-2
U. S. 4s, reg	116 1-2
U. S. 4s, cou.	117 1-2
Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s	84 5-8
American Agricultural 5s b.	102
American Tel. & Tel. cv 4s	106
American Tobacco 4s	80 1-4
American Tabocco 6s	110 1-2
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	98 1-8
Atchison gen. 4s	100 1-4
Atchison cv. 4s	119 1-4
Atchison cv. 5s	119 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	95 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	99
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s b	92
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	90 3-8
Brooklyn Transit cv 4s	86 5-8
Central of Georgia 5s b.	109 5-8
Central Leather 5s	99 5-8
Central R. R. of N. J. gen 5s.	126 1-8
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	103 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio rf. 5s	105 1-8
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s b.	75
C., B. & Q. joint 4s	96 1-2
C., B. & Q. gen. 4s	99
C., Mil. & St. P. gen. 3 1-2s	88
C., R. I. & P. R. R. col. 4s	78
C., R. I. & P. R. R. col. 5s.	91 5-8
C., R. I. & P. Rv. rfg. 4s	90 1-2
Colorado Industrial 5s	81 1-2
Colorado Midland 4s	80 1-4
C. & S. ref & ext. 4 1-2s	97 3-4
Welaware & Hudson cv 4s	103
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	97
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s	94
Distillers 5s	75
Erie prior lien 4s	86
Erie Gen. 4s	75 1-4
Erie cv 4s series "A"	82 3-4
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	73 1-8
General Electric cv. 5s	152 1-2
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	99 1-2
Interborough-Met. 4 1-2s	83 5-8
Inter. Merc. Marine 4 1-2s	71 1-2
Japan 4s	86 3-8
Japan 4 1-2s	93 3-4
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	73
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	94 5-8
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	99 1-4
Mo., Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	99
Mo., Kan & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	91 3-8
Missouri Pacific 4s	80 1-2
National Rye of Mex. 4 1-2s	94 1-4
N. Y. Central gen. 3 1-2s	91 1-2
N. Y. Central deb. 4s	96
N. Y., N. H. & Hart. cv. 6s	142 1-4
N. & W. 1st cou. 4s	99
N. & W. cv 4s	101
Northern Pacific 4s	102 1-4
Northern Pacific 3s	72 3-4
O. S. Line rfdg 4s	93 3-4
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	97 3-4
Penn. Con. 4s	104 1-2
Reading Gen. 4s	99 1-2
St. L. & San Fran. fg. 4s	84 1-2
St. L. & San Fran. gen 5s	89 3-8
St. L. S'western con. 4s	77 1-2
St. L. S'western 1st gold 4s	93 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 4s	89 1-2
Southern Pacific col. 4s	91
Southern Pacific cv 4s	103
S. P. R. R. 1st ref 4s	94 3-8
Southern Railway 5s	110
Southern Railway gen. 4s	80 1-2
Union Pacific 4s	103
Union Pacific cv. 4s	116 1-8
Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	98
U. S. Rubber 6s	104 3-4
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	105 1-4
Virginia-Caro. Chemical 5s	97 7-8
Wabash 1st 5s	112 3-4
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	73 3-4
Western Md., 4s	84
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	94 7-8
Wisconsin Central 4s	94 1-2

Stocks.

Allis Chalmers pfd	52 3-4
Amalgamated Copper	83 3-8
American Agricultural	46
American Beet Sugar	47 5-8
American Car pfd	82
American Car & Foundry	70 1-4
American Cotton Oil	77 1-2
American Hide & Leather pfd.	46 1-2
American Ice Securities	25 3-8
American Linseel	16 1-2
American Locomotive	58 1-2
American Smelting & Ref'ng	97 3-4
Amer. S. & Ref pfd	111 1-2
American Sugar Ref.	130 1-2
American Tel. & Tel	141 3-4
American Tobacco pfd	99 3-4
American Woolen	36 1-2
Anaconda Mining Co.	47 3-8
Atchison	120 3-4
Atchison pfd	104
Atlantic Coast Line	139 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	116 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	94 1-2
Bethleham Steel	34
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	78 3-8
Canadian Pacific	185 1-4
Central Leather	47 1-4
Central Leather pfd	109 1-2
Central of N. J.	305
Chesapeake & Ohio	88
Chicago & Alton	69 3-4
Chicago Great Western	13 3-4
Chicago & Northwestern	190 1-2
C., Mil. & St Paul	159 1-2
C., C., C. & St. Louis	77 1-2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	44 1-2
Colorado & Southern	52 1-2
C. & Southern 1st pfd	78 3-4
C. & Southern 2nd pfd	78 1-4
Consolidated Gas	143
Corn Products	21 3-4
Delaware & Hudson	186
Denver & Rio Grande	48
Denvemr & Rio Grande pfd	85 1-4
Distillers' Securities	35 3-4
Erie	33 7-8
Erie 1st pfd	48 1-2
Erie 2nd pfd	40 1-2
General Electric	163 1-2
Great Northern pfd	149 1-4
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	80 3-4
Illinois Central	149 1-8
Interborough-Met	17 5-8
Interborough-Met. pfd	49 7-8
Inter Harvester	97 1-2
Inter-Marine pfd	23 1-4
International Paper	17 1-4
International Pump	48 1-4
Iowa Central	20 1-2
Kansas City Southern	44 1-2
Kansas City Southern pfd	70
Louisville & Nashville	153 1-2
Minneanolis & St. Louis	55 1-4
Minn., St. P. & Salt St. M.	138 7-8
Missouri Pacific	68 3-4
Mo., Kan. & Texas	37 7-8
Mo. Kan. & Texas pfd	77 5-8
National Biscuit	117
National Lead	58 1-4
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 1st pfd.	57 1-2
New York Central	136 1-4
N.Y., O. & W.	46 3-4
Norfolk & Western	95 1-2
North American	79 1-8
Northern Pacific	151 1-4
Pacific Mail	37 5-8
Pennsylvania	147 3-8
People's Gas	115
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. L.	95
Pressed Steel Car	48
Pullman Palace Car	190
Railway Steel Spring	46 7-8
Reading	162 7-8
Republic Steel	46 1-2
Republic Steel pfd	105 1-4
Rock Island Co.	30 7-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	78 3-8
St. L. & San. Fran. 2nd pfd.	58
St. L. Southwestern	30 1-4
St. L. Southwestern pfd	67 1-2
Sloss Sheffield Steel & Iron	92 1-2
Southern Pacific	129 1-2
Southern Railway	31 1-8
Southern Railway pfd	70 1-2
Tennessee Copper	35
Texas & Pacific	35 1-2
Toledo, St. L. & West	54 3-8
Toledo, St. L. & West. pfd	70
Union Pacific	203 1-8
Union Pacific pfd	104 1-2
United States Realty	83
United States Rubber	48 1-2
United States Steel	90 1-8
United States Steel pfd	127 5-8
Utah Copper	48
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	47 1-4
Wabash	20
Wabash pfd	50 1-4
Western Maryland	21 1-8
Westinghouse Electric	86
Western Union	77 3-4
Wheeling & Lake Erie	9
Wisconsin Central	52 1-4
Standard Oil Co.	700

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Oct. 19.—Flour quiet with prices steady and unchanged.

Buckwheat Flour—Dull.

Corn Meal—Barely steady.

Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 1.21 domestic nominal elevator; No. 2 red nominal fob afloat. Options 1 to 1 1-4c net lower. December 1.11 1-4; May 1.11 3-8.

Corn—Spot easy; No. 2, 69 elevator domestic and 70 delivered No. 2, 69 1-2 fob afloat. Options without transactions 3-4c net lower. December 69 1-2.

Oats—Spot quiet; No. 2, 31 to 32 pounds nominal.

Lard—Steady; middle west 12.65 to 12.75; refined steady.

Pork—Firm.

Tallow—Steady.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Firm.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.80. Butter—Firm; creamery, extra 31; third to first 26 to 30; western factory 24 to 25.

Cheese—Firm unchanged.

Eggs—Firmer. State, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery, white 38 to 43; do gathered white 28 to 38.

Coffee—Steady Rio No. 7, 8 7-8 nominal; Santos No. 4, 8 3-4. Mild quiet; Cordova 9 to 11 1-2. Futures steady at a net decline of 5 to 15 points.

Potatoes—Easy; unchanged.

Cabbages—Firm, 2.00 to 3.50 per 100.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Freights to Liverpool—Firm; grain by steam 2d.

Cotton Seed Oil had a severe break under crude offerings profit taking by speculative longs and stop loss selling. At the decline there was renewed buying for outside account which caused a partial recovery. Sales aggregated 19,800 barrels. October 6.53 to 6.57; December 6.58 to 6.60; January 6.64 to 6.66; May 6.68 to 6.80. Prime crude 5.60 to 5.65; prime summer yellow 6.50 to 6.58; prime white 6.60 to 6.99; prime winter yellow 6.65 to 7.34.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—The world's immense accumulations of wheat shown by Bradstreet's statement of the visible supply began to make its effect felt today in the wheat pit and caused a steady fall in prices, December closing 1 3-8c below yesterday. Corn and Oats felt the effects of the downward swing in the controlling grain and provisions under the influence of local demand moved slightly upward.

	Open	High	Close
Wheat.			
Dec.	1 05 1-4	1 05 1-2	1 04
May	1 06 1-8	1 06 1-8	1 05
July	99 1-8	99 1-4	98 1-2
Corn.			
Oct.	59 3-4	59 3-4	59 3-4
Dec.	59 1-2	59 1-2	58 5-8
May	61 3-8	61 5-8	61
July	60 3-4	61	60 3-8
Oats.			
Dec.	40 1-8	40 1-8	39 5-8
May	42 1-8	42 1-4	42
July	39 7-8	40	39 7-8
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
Oct.			23 25
Jan.	18 35	18 35	18 27 1-2
May	18 10	18 10	18 10
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
Oct.	12 25	12 30	12 30
Nov	11 77 1-2	11 80	11 77 1-2
Jan.	10 95	10 95	10 92 1-2
May	10 67 1-2	10 70	10 62 1-2
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
Oct.	11 15	11 15	11 15
Jan.	9 67 1-2	9 67 1-2	9 62 1-2
May	9 65	9 65	9 62 1-2

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Oct. 19.—Turpentine quiet. Rosin steady.

Charleston, Oct. 19.—Turpentine steady 57 3-4. Rosin steady. Quote: A B C, 4.05; D, 4.07 1-2; E, 4.10; F, 4.20; G, 4.25; H, 4.35; I, 4.70; K, 5.65; M, 5.70; N, 6.00; WG, 6.15; WW, 6.25.

Savannah, Oct. 19—Turpentine firm 56 3-4; sales 481; receipts 472; shipments 2,821. Rosin firm; sales 1,774; receipts 3,856; shipments 8,466; stock 137,225. Quote: B, 4.05; D, 4.07 1-2; E, 4.10; F, 4.20; G, 4.25 to 4.27 1-2; H, 4.35; I, 4.70; K, 5.65; M, 5.70; N, 6.05; WG, 6.50; WW, 6.60.

MARINE

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Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

Str. Carib, Packer, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 19, 1909.

C. C. Railroad—127 bales cotton.

W. & W. Railroad—512 bales cotton, 4 barrels tar.

W., C. & A. Railroad—2,205 bales cotton, 12 barrels tar, 12 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—1,264 bales cotton, 10 casks spirits turpentine, 69 barrels tar.

Str. Whitlock—10 bales cotton, 24 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—4,118 bales cotton, 10 casks spirits turpentine, — barrels rosin, 75 barrels tar, 36 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Cumbal, (Br.) 2,571 tons, Gibson, Walter Smallbones Agent.

Drumgeith (Br.) 2,472 tons, Fairweather, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Br. str. Wragby, 2,371 tons, Olsen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Norton (Br.) 1,135 tons, Franklin, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Catalina (Br.) 1,667 tons, Parker, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Thistlemore (Br.) 2,579 tons, Yeo, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Lizzie M. Parsons, 571 tons, Sharpley, C. D. Maffitt.

Edith H. Symington, 881 tons, Stiles, C. D. Maffitt.

NEW TARIFF LAW FAILURE.

Opinion of United States Senator Gore, of Oklahoma.

Springfield, Mass., Oct. 18.—United States Senator Thomas P. Gore, of Oklahoma, addressed a Democratic rally here tonight in a discussion of the tariff reciprocity, direct nominations and the income tax.

Senator Gore declared that the only test of the tariff law was whether the cost of the necessaries of life is more or less under the new bill than it was under the old bill, and that by this test the new bill must be deciphered an utter failure. Prices, he said, showed an increase as a result of the new tariff legislation. He had hoped, he said, to see President Taft wring a few concessions from the committee on conference, but the efforts of the chief executive to that end had proved unavailing. He further said: "While this National needs reciprocity, you cannot build a wall to keep imports out without building a wall to keep exports in. Commercial union with Canada and with all the republics of the western hemisphere is to be desired.

"It is not for us to deny to the wealthy the right to materially aid this government that protects them."

BANKRUPTCY SALE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States, for the Eastern District of North Carolina. In the matter of Stephens Construction Company, Bankrupts. In Bankruptcy. Pursuant to an order by the court, made in the above entitled case, the undersigned, trustee, will offer for sale for cash, at the Court House door, of New Hanover county in the City of Wilmington, at 12 o'clock M., on Monday, October 24th, 1909, subject to the lien of a mortgage to A. M. Prince, the following described property, to-wit: the entire saw-mill and planing machinery and office fixtures situate in a certain building in the City of Wilmington, N. C., known as No. 214 South Front street, and described as follows: One Fox Trimmer machine No. 819; one Fox mitre machine; one sash sticker; one power mitre machine; one small emory grinder for chain martiser; one shaper; one band saw; two upright borers; one jig saw; one iron bench vice, one iron bench mitre; one iron bench vice; one arm sander; one single tenoner; one buzz plainer; one emory stand; one Greenleaf sash and door polisher; one iron sash clamp; one iron door clamp; one diagonal plainer; one double end tenoner; one door sticker; one blind rabbiter and borer; one blind boring machine; one blind wiring machine; one chain mortiser; one panel raiser; one variety saw bench; one Dado head; one Poney plainer; one blind slat machine; two cut-off saws; one rip saw (iron table); one blower system; one No. 52 plainer; one No. 952 moulder; one baluster machine; one gang edger; one self feeding rip saw; two small turning lathes; one large turning lathe; one re-saw; one inside moulder; four trucks; one grind stone; one hand forge; one high speed Erie engine; one automatic knife grinder; one emory stand; one extra re-saw blade; sixteen circular saws; one bench vice; one set diagonal plaining knives; five sets Shimer heads; one Heine safety boiler; one injector; one feed pump; one lot of water buckets and barrels; shafting; pulleys and belting; two bench clamps; one McCaskey register; one cash register; two standing bookkeeper desks; one typewriter and desk; one vertical file and table; three chairs; three stools; lot of fire extinguishers, and one protectograph.

B. G. EMPIE,
Trustee.

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SEED OATS

500 Bu. N. C. R.P. Oats.
2,000 Bu. Texas R.P. Oats.
1,000 Bu. O. K., R.P. Oats.

Oats should be planted this month and by middle of November to get best results.

400 Bbls. Nice Mullets, (100 lbs. fish guaranteed to every barrel.)
3,500 Kegs Nails (cut and wire)
15,000 Sacks Salt.

Get our prices.

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Wholesale Grocers & Importers,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

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Gives prompt and positive relief in every case. Sold by druggists, price $1.00. Trial package by mail 10 cents.
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The sort that look as good at the beginning of the second season as when you bought them, because they are not pressed or padded into shape, but worked and moulded and formed.

Stein-Bloch clothes are hand-tailored of dependable fabrics, and sold to you at moderate prices.

We recommend these clothes because we want your permanent patronage.

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A full and complete line of hats, furnishing goods, trunks, suit cases and grips.

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Phone 673. So W. Corner Front and Princess Sts.

The "Baby-Waker" Sale

is still going. Large crowds and liberal buying are the features. The low prices published in the large advertisements are still holding good.

New arrivals of rugs, pictures, imported dinner sets, tables, hampers, clothes baskets and several other articles have been added this week. Positively no such values ever seen in Wilmington. Call and inspect them if you wish to buy or not. We are pleased to show goods and invite comparison. This sale, as all our sales, is bona fide. No bluff, no hot air. Unequaled values our motto.

The Wilmington Furniture Co.
Wilmington, N. C.

Buck's Hot Blast

Self Feeding Heating Stoves

They Are the Best

We have just received a solid car of these goods and they are now ready for your personal inspection. Also fine line of wood Heating Stoves and Grates.

Call and let us show them to you.

Wm. E. Springer & Co.

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LUMBER AND SHINGLE MILLS

The largest stock of cypress shingles carried in the State. We always have over a million in stock.

We make 13 different grades and sizes, varying from $2.00 to $10.00 per M. Our shingles are recognized in the Northern Markets, as well as in the West Indies, as the very highest standard, both in grade and manufacture. "We have a standing guarantee that " we give (2) good ones for (1) bad one."

Don't buy any shingles that do not have W. W. Koch in large type on every bundle.

We do not dip the ends of our shingles in red ocre to hide windshakes and other defects. Don't buy until you get our prices and compare the shingles. We make and dispose of 20,000 shingles per day.

We furnish all the shingles t for the government at Fort Caswell, ours being the only shingles tat stand government inspection.

W W. KOCH'S LUMBER AND SHINGLE MILLS
Opposite Hilton Park. 'Phone 346

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Tuesday, September 28th and after, will have on display distinctive and exclusive styles of Fall and Winter Millinery. :: :: :: :: ::

French Millinery Parlors
Up Stairs Over A. D. Brown's.
Elevator Service.

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Now Is the Time to Advertise in The Morning Star

THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 19, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Tuesday, Oct. 18th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 56 degrees; 8 P. M. 57 degrees; maximum 64 degrees; minimum 54 degrees; mean 59 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, 1.07.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Monday 1.7 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Partly cloudy Wednesday; probably showers Thursday; moderate to brisk northeast winds.

Port Calendar—Oct. 19.

Sun Rises.....6:21 A. M
Sun Sets.....5:32 P. M.
Day's Length.....11 hrs. 14 min.
High water at Southport 11:51 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 2:51 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

City Livery Co.—Fall Opening.

Business Locals.

Lost—Watch Charm.
Wanted—Gas Heater.
G. X.—Position Wanted.
Palace Market—Oysters.
Found—Child's Overcoat.
Office Man—Position Wanted.
Wanted—Second Hand Phaeton.
Knights of Columbus—Attention.
X. Y. Z.—Underwood Typewriter.
Lost—Waterman's Fountain Pen.
Junius Davis—Borrowed or Lost.
W. M. Cumming—Farm Land For Sale.
Co-operative B. & L. Assn.—A Check.
Gentleman From Mississippi—Would be Glad.

NIARAGUAN TROUBLE

More Than Half of Republic in Hands of Revolutionists.

Bluefields, Oct. 18.—More than half of the republic of Nicaragua is in the hands of the revolutionists. Confirmatory dispatches have been received here that Rivas, Corinto, Leon and San Juan del Sur have been taken by the insurgents. General Juan Reyes, former governor of the coast provinces, who led two previous revolutions against Zelaya, General Mena and General Fornos Diaz accompanied by nearly 100 exiles have arrived here from Limon and Bocas del Torro. They were given a great reception and will probably join General Estrada at Rema immediately. Dispatches are expected soon from General Champorro who is now at Greytown. He has mined the San Juan river in several places.

Recruiting has been going on with great success, many thousands along the Atlantic coast are flocking to the aid of General Estrada. Vessels left here today on the return trip to Limon for more exiles. Only a lacko of arms prevents an advance.

Lopez and Martinez, a prominent firm of Bluefields, who have been enriched by concessions received from President Zelaya have been seized by the revolutionists. Senor Lopez who was formerly governor of Bluefields has been placed in jail and will be held until he pays $20,000 to aid the revolution.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The United States Government today officially recognized the action of Nicaragua in closing her Atlantic coast ports. The closing of the ports was proclaimed by Nicaragua several days ago and the Nicaraguan government has notified the State Department and the lateer, in turn, the Department of Commerce and Labor. Acting Secretary McHarg, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, has telegraphed collectors of customs of the facts, and directed that pending termination of the trouble issuance of clearances to the Atlantic coast ports of the Nicaraguan government will be resumed. This is not a blockade at all unless it is effective and Nicaragua has not means of making it effective. But it is the next thing to a blockade. The Atlantic coast is in possession of the revolutionists and any duties paid the revolutionary authorities would now have to be repaid to the Zelaya's government custom houses in the event the coast should be re-taken by the Government and the shipments should be traced.

AGREE ON APPEAL.

Parties to Legal Controversy Over Whitney Plant Before Judge.

Asheville, N. C., Oct. 19.—In the case of A. O. Brown and others against the Whitney Company, in the United States Circuit Court, in which the T. A. Gillespie Company was awarded a judgment giving it a lien on the hydro-electric plant of the Whitney Company near Salisbury in the sum of $298,860.62 with interest, counsel for the Gilespie Company and for a minority of bondholders, dealing through the Bankers' Trust Company, of New York, who wish to appeal from the judgment, announced to Judge Pritchard today that they had agreed on conditions of appeal. The Bankers' Trust Company is to give $5,000 appeal bond; no supersedeas bond is to be demanded by the Gillespie Company and the latter is to be allowed to apply its judgment as part payment of any bid it may make when the property is sold by the court, the latter company to make good any reduction which the court of appeals may make in its judgment. Judge Pritchard signed an order effectuating this agreement.

The Bankers' Trust Company filed a bil to foreclose the mortgage given it as trustee by the Whitney Company to secure an issue of $5,000,000 bonds.

The Public Health and Marine Hospital Service has detailed Assistant Surgeon General J. W. Kern and Past Assistant Surgeon C. H. Lavinder, as its representatives at a conference on pellagra to be held at Columbia, S. C., November 3rd and 4th.

The Bed-Rock of Success

Lies in a keen, clear brain, backed by indomitable will and resistless energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's New Life Pills impart. They vitalize every organ and build up brain and body. J A. Harmon, Lizemore, W. Va., writes: "They are the best pills I ever used." 25c at R. R. Bellamy's.

YORKTOWN SCENE OF CELEBRATION

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cieties under whose auspices the exercises were held, but the sentimental part of the affair was reserved for the public. Dr. Henry Morris, of Philadelphia, president of the Descendants of the Signers, himself a direct descendant of Robert Morris, delivered an historical address after invocation by Rev. Donald C. McLeod, of Washington, D. C.

Mayor James G. Reddick, of Norfolk, then spoke briefly on the necessity of preserving American traditions and said that it was the duty of every American to do so. He commented upon the fact that the Stars and Bars of the Confederacy had been forever furled, but said that what was known as "Military District No. 1," Virginia's reconstruction title, had become the brightest star in the "Star Spangled Banner."

The school children of York county, who were grouped before the grand stand, then sang "America" after which Colonel Oswald Tench Tilghman, of Easton, Md., a direct descendant of Lieut. Col. Tench Tilghman, aide de camp to General Washington, who carried the famous message "Cornwallis is taken", to the Continental Congress in Philadelphia, made an address. He also read the correspondence between General Washington and Lord Cornwallis and the terms of capitulation. The last address of the day was by Representative J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, president of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, who departed from his prepared speech to comment upon Col. Tilghman's statement that it had taken his ancestor four days to reach Philadelphia by horseback with his message. He used this illustration to illustrate his contention that the nation needs better highways and deeper waterways. Mr. Moore barely reached here in time to deliver his address, as he missed the boat in Newport News, and had to be hurried here 30 miles overland in an automobile.

The exercises were closed with benediction by Rev. George Washington Dame, of Baltimore, chaplain of the Descendents of the Signers.

(The address of President Moore is published elsewhere in today's paper.)

THE WORK OF LAYMEN.

Mr. Ashley Horne Thinks Movement Wisest Plan Yet Suggested.

Dr. D. B. Zollicoffer, leader of the Methodist Laymen's Movement, recently spoke at Clayton. He stirs up the folks wherever he goes, says the Raleigh News and Observer. The morning after his address, Dr. Zollicoffer received a letter from the leading citizen of Clayton, which is published in the Raleigh Christian Advocate. It will have interest for good men in every church and is therefore printed below:

Clayton, N. C., Sept. 20, 1909.

Dr. D. B. Zollicoffer, Weldon, N. C.

My Dear Doctor: Last night at church I was profoundly impressed by your address on the Laymen's Movement. The evangelization of the world is bound to claim the consideration of every thinking man, and while I appreciate the work and great sacrifices of our noble ministry and the many organizations whose sole work is the spread of the Gospel, yet the Laymen's Movement appeals to me as the most stupendous aid and wisest plan that has yet been suggested by Christian man.

The fact that it brings into activity that element our churches, the business men, is enough to kindle hope and zeal in every one. The business men are our laymen, and when you awaken them to their responsibilities and get them to turn the light of their business sagacity on missions, the giving of the Gospel to our fellowman, we will see such progress in the work as Christian people have prayed for since the time of Christ.

I repeat, I was profoundly impressed and felt ashamed when the basket came to me that I had only some loose change to put in. This morning I am in my office and am enclosing with this a check which is more comensurate with what you have impressed on me as my duty.

Your address is town talk this morning, and every one is stirred. Come to see us again, and come often, and help us awake.

Very truly,
ASHLEY HORNE.

PANAMA CANAL ENTRANCES.

Board Appointed to Look After Work on This Feature.

Washington, Oct. 18.—The important work of constructing fortifications for the entrances to the Panama canal will be given careful consideration by a joint army and navy board during the coming Winter. This board, the personnel of which has been partly completed will visit the isthmus and go over the entire ground. Colonel Goethals, the chairman and the chief engineer of the canal commission, has promised that the canal shall be ready to be open by January 1, 1915, and the President and his cabinet feel that the work of placing that waterway in an impregnable position should be finished or at least will be underway by the time the canal is ready for practical uses.

The board will consist of Brigadier General William L. Marshall, chief of engineers; Brigadier General William Crozier, chief of ordnance; Brigadier General Arthur Murav, chief of coast artillery; Brigadier General W. W. Witherspoon, assistant chief of staff, and two naval officers yet to be selected.

The new board will have available considerable data on which to inaugurate work, for in 1905 the National Coast Defense Board, of which President Taft was then at the head, made a thorough examination into the whole subject of fortifications and recommended an expenditure of $4,827,682. Since that time conditions have changed and it may be found desirable by the board to make other recommendations involving differences found necessary as a result of developments in National defense.

C. & O. DIRECTORS.

Elected at Meeting of Stockholders—Approve Purchase of Railroads.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 19.—At the annual meeting today of the stockholders of theChesapeake & Ohio Railroad Company, Decatur Ax tell, James H. Dooley, Edwin Hawley and Henry E. Huntington, Frederick W. Scott, Theodore P. Shonts (in place of John W Castle, deceased) George W. Stevens, Frank Trumbull, Frank A. Vanderlip were elected directors. Approval of the purchase of three short railroads operating in the Virginia and West Virginia coal fields was given. These lines, adding a total of nearly 200 miles of trackage to the purchasing road, are the Coal River Railway of West Virginia, the Southwestern Railway Company of West Virginia, and the Virginia Air Railway of Virginia.

KENTUCK NIGHT RIDERS

Warning to Macon County Farmers to Pool Their Tobacco.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 19.—No word has been received of a detail of soldiers ordered out from Cynthinia last night but it is believed they are on the way to Bath county where it is reported several farmers have been warned by night riders to pool their tobacco. Governor Wilson today refused to discuss the night rider trouble.

RECORD COTTON RECEIPTS.

Savannah's Receipts For Yesterday Were 26,011.

Savannah, Oct. 19.—All records for Savannah are broken today by cotton receipts here. The total number of bales brought in was 26,011, of which 1,274 were sea island. In round figures the value of this immense amount of cotton is $1,900,000. It is predicted Savannah's receipts for the year will near the 2,000,000 bale mark

DROPS DEAD AT GRAVE.

Mother-in-Law of Cashier, Who Committed Suicide.

Mineral Point, Wis., Oct. 18.—Beside the grave of his mother, in Grace land cemetery, Frank E. Hanscome, cashier of the Mineral Point First National Bank, whose bank was closed last week, committed suicide last night by taking carbolic acid and then shooting himself in the right temple with a revolver. Mrs. John Gray, Sr., Hanscome's aged mother-in-law, dropped dead when she viewed his body.

Phil. Allen, Jr., vice president of the bank, who has been under arrest at his home since Friday last, charged with embezzling $168,000 of the bank's funds, today said that Hanscome was entirely innocent of wrongdoing in connection with the bank.

What you may have been calling the "good fortune in business affairs" of someone you know may be simply enough to make it look important.

If your ad is important use spase the courage to advertise

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

A YOUNG MAN wants position as traveling salesman. Can give best of references. Address "G. X." care Star. oc 20-1t.

"THE GENTLEMAN FROM MISSISSIPPI" would be glad to receive further information. Same address. oc 20-1t*

LOST—On Market, between Water and Third street, or Third from Market to Chesnut, gold charm. Liberal reward, if returned to L. H. Marshburn, corner Sixth and Castle. oc 20-1t*

WANTED—Second-hand gas heater; must be cheap and in good order. Address C. Y., this office. oc 20-1t.

A CHECK was received yesterday and a request for stock in the new series of the Co-operative Building and Loan Association, from a gentleman in Birmingham, Ala. Just mentioned to show how well the Co-operative is known and appreciated. The new series opens first of November and applications for stock are being received now at the office of the Co-operative, 124 Princess street (Wright's Real Estate office). This series limited to 1,000 shares and about half this number already sold now. 25 cents buys a share for which you get $100 at maturity. Call for printed information of value. Wm. E. Worth, president: B C. Moore, vice president; Thos. H Wright, secretary and treasurer. oc 20-2t.

WANTED—A second-hand phaeton, not much worn. Address Phaeton, care Star office. oc 20-1t*

WANTED—By all around office man, position for half of the day, either forenoon or afternoon. Best references. Address "K" Box 636, City. oc 20-2t*

FOR SALE—Underwood typewriter, first-class condition, in moderate use about two years, must be sold at once. Price $45.00. Address XYZ, P. O. Box 434. oc 20-1t*

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS are requested to meet in their hall Thursday, 2 P. M., thence proceed in a body to the new church to attend the laying of the corner stone. oc 20-2t.

OYSTERS! Oysters! Oysters!. You should visit us and see the variety we do keep. Best of meats, fruits and vegetables always on hand. Palace Market, Phones 72 and 653. oc 20-1t.

30 ACRES, more or less, of good farm land, clay subsoil, for sale at a bargain. On Wrightsville sound, 1-2 mile from Shell road. 15 acres cleared, complete fencing, one 5-room and one 3-room house, barns, stables, etc. W. M. Cumming, Real Estate and Notary. oc 20-we-fr-2t.

LOST—Waterman fountain pen; coarse stub; reasonable reward if left at Star office. oc 20-1t*

"BORROWED OR LOST"—The following books: Wheeler's Reminiscences of North Carolina; Volume 6, Colonial Records; Volume 15, State Records. Any information as to the whereabouts of these books will be gratefully received. Junius Davis. oct 20-2t.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

FOUND—Child's overcoat Sunday evening; loser can get same by giving description and paying for this advertisement. oc 2-1t

PHOTOGRAPHS—Nothing more appropriate for a Christmas Souvenir than a fine enlargement of a stylish photographs. The U. C. Ellis Studio. oc 19-tf

DR. J. W. BLACKMER, Osteopathic Physician, Southern Building. Hours: 9 to 12 A. M., 2 to 5 P. M. Phone 1460. Other hours by apointment. oc 19-3wks.

FOR RENT — Three furnished rooms, modern conveniences; also table board, if desired. Rates reasonable. Apply at 517 North Fourth street. oc 19-3t*

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, two rooms and bath, Carolina Apartments, fifth floor fronting Market street; steam heated, elevator, electric lighted, balcony, telephone. Will rent to desirable party without children for period of six months. F. M. Jolly, 1218 Broadway, New York City. oc 19-1w.

FOR RENT—The house I now occupy, 509 South Front street, six minutes walk from Front and Market, or new house, just completed, Sixth and Nun, eleven minutes' walk from same point. Modern conveniences. B. F. King. oc 17-tf.

SPECIAL FOR 10 DAYS—Skirts pressed 25 cents; cleaned and pressed 50c; suits pressed 50c; cleaned 75c; ladies membership $1.00 per month entitles them to four suits, gentlemen's special three months' membership for $2. Gents' suits pressed 35c, cleaned and pressed 75c and we will clean a pair of gloves free with each dollar's worth of work, try us. 'Phone 1773 Y. M. C. A. building. Red Cross Pressing Club. oc 17-tf.

FOR RENT—Building on south side Market, between Front and Second streets, until recently used as laundry. Building will be remodeled, exterior and interior, to suit desirable tenant. For particulars apply to Geo. Honnet. oc 17-3t.

WANTED—White man for sawyer on band mill with resaw. Must be first-class and strictly sober. Wages $5 per day. References required. Cherokee Lumber Co., Garland, N. C. oc 17-3t.

$1.00 DOWN AND $1 a week buys a lot on Lingo Heights. The latest and best opportunity for people of small means to buy a lot and become a free-holder for the small sum of one dollar. Lots 33x165. Room enough to build two houses. High, dry and buildings going up on all sides. In case of death a full deed. Will lend money at 4 per cent. to build house. Call at my office, No. 207 Princess street, and get the choice lots before they are gone. H. F. Wilder, Real Estate Agent. oc 17-1w.

PHOTOGRAPHS—Visit the U. C. Ellis Studio for the beautiful Fall styles. Nothing better for a Christmas present. oc 10 tf

FOUND—Where to sell my wool, beeswax, raw furs, hides and tallow to good advantage at last; also where to ship my produce for best results. Try our guaranteed freshly killed mountain eggs. C. D. Gilbert, 212 Market street, Wilmington, N. C. se 19-tf.

WE HAVE AT "THE ORTON" a sanitary barber shop with six white barbers, all expert workmen, parents would do well to think of this in sending their children down in the afternoon for hair cuts and scalp treatment. No advance in prices. se 221m.

SPECIAL OFFER—Six half cabinet photographs and one platinum finish enlargement, for one dollar. Best value ever offered. Titmas & Foltz, Props. The Gem Studio, 114 Market street, Wilmington, N. C., fe 17-tf

NEWLY MADE—Lot of improved White Pine Cough Syrup; 25c bottles. We deliver to any city address. James M. Hall. oc 5-tf.

WE HAVE GUNS to sell and guns to rent, at Uncle Charles' Pawn Shop, No. 108 Market street. oc 6 tf

FOR SALE—Elegant corner building lot, 66x150, southeast corner of Thirteenth and Market. Apply to M C. Darby & Co., sole agents, 114 1-2 Princess street. oc 12-tu-thu-su

TOURING CAR FOR SALE—One Maxwell, four cylinder, late model car. Completely equipped with all accessories. Just overhauled, repainted, and in excellent condition. Price extremely reasonable. Owner will exchange for real estate or will take runabout in trade from person desiring larger car. Apply at garage of Frank Herbst South Second street, where car may be seen. oc 14-1w.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN to make room, Eclipse newspaper folding machine; also lot of type cases and stands. Address Wilmington Star Co., Wilmington, N. C. oc 12-tf

THE GILBERT HOUSE combines home comforts and hotel conveniences, Front and Princess streets; junction of car lines. Cars to depot, steam heat, electric lights and hot water. Table equals the best and rates reasonable. Transient $1.25 to $1.50 per day. Regular and transient boarders. oc 1 tf

SEND YOUR FILMS to the Gem Studio, 114 Market street. Any size film developed, ten cents. Any size picture finished for five cents. Titmas & Foltz, props. fe 17-tf.

NOTARY PUBLIC—Public stenographer. Expert work of any kind, anywhere, any time. Meares Harriss, 114 Princess street. 'Phone 708. su 4 su we fri tf

WANTED—Boarders; nice comfortable rooms; good table board; centrally located; modern conveniences; one block from car line. Apply 322 North Third street. oct 13-1w*

ROOM AND BOARD—We can accommodate few more with rooms and board; rooms newly furnished; fare best market affords; prices reasonable. Apply 119 Orange street. oc 12-1w.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

I. RITMYER, shoemaking, 119 Dock street, Wilmington, N. C. Prompt attention given to repairing. First-class workmanship and material guaranteed. oc 1 1m

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oc 19 tf

THE SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK of Wilmington, N. C. desires to announce that the institution, beginning business September 18th, 1905, was

FOUR YEARS OLD SEPTEMBER 18TH, 1909.

The capital of $200,000.00 and surplus of $100,000.00 were subscribed and paid in instalments.

No interest has been paid upon individual deposits and no interest bearing certificates have been issued.

All premium on $200,000.00 United States bonds has been charged off to current profits, likewise $3,000.00 on fixture account, amounting in all to about $13,000.00.

Total of $40,000.00 cash DIVIDENDS returned to the stockholders.

Without the impetus of assets absorbed from other banks or the payment of interest on individual deposits, the manageemnt is gratified at the growth shown four years from commencement of business, as follows:

Capital	$ 200,000.00
Surplus	$ 100,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	$ 44,000.00
Deposits	$1,262,037.40
Total Assets	$2,038,393.01

The success of the bank is due to a careful adherence to regulations of the United States Government, prescribed in the National Banking Act, and to the confidence and patronage of the business public at large, to which due acknowledgement is hereby made.

MATT J. HEYER, President.
HUGH MacRAE, Vice-President.
D. L. GORE, Vice-President.
C. N. EVANS, Cashier.
oc 1 tf

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290 Dozen Turtle Dove Peaches.
186 Dozen Pie Peaches.
146 Dozen Jumbo Fancy Peaches.
53 Dozen Sausage Meat.
86 Dozen Tripe.
93 Dozen Jumbo Pepper.
50 Gross Dixon's Lead Pencils.
10 Gross Writing Tablets.
5 Gross Pen Holders.
53 Boxes Envelopes.
311 Bags North Carolina Rust Proof Oats.

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